ITALY MAKES STRONG DEMANDS ON AUSTRIA

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INSISTS ON MUCH LAND, WANTS FRANZ JOSEF TO ABANDON ALL ALBANIA; RUSHES PLANS FOR WAR

Paris, May 20---Reports have been received here from Rome that the Italian chamber of deputies, by virtually a unanimous vote, today granted full powers to the minister of war.

Amsterdam, Holland, May 20 (via London)---"No one in Italy any longer doubts that war begins today" is the text of a telegram sent from Chiasso, Switzerland under date of Thursday (today) and printed in the Berliner Tageblatt.

Rome, May 20. (Via Paris)—The minimum demands made upon Austria in behalf of Italy by Foreign Minister Sonnino were:

"First—The cession of the entire province of Trent (part of the Austrian Tyrol) according to Italy in 1811.

Second—Eastern Friuele, comprising Malborgeth, Plezzo, Tolmino, Gradisca, Goritz, Monfalcone, Comen and as far south as Nabressna.

Third—Tricst, Capo D'Istria and Pirano (the last two in Istria) to form a new state independent from Austria.

Fourth—The Islands of Curzola, Lissa, Lesina, Lagosta, Cazza and Meleda (off the coast of lower Dalmatia) to be ceded to Italy.

Fifth—The abandonment by Austria of her interests in Albania, acknowledging Italian sovereignty over Avlona.

Rome, May 19.—(Via Paris, May 20.)—Diplomatic documents which disclosed each successive step in the negotiations which resulted in Italy's denunciation of her treaty of alliance with Austria and Germany are contained in the Green Book issued by the Italian government.

The history of diplomatic intercourse begins with a telegram sent by Foreign Minister Sonnino to the Duke of Avarano, Italian ambassador at Vienna on December 9, 1914, instructing him to notify Count Von Berchtold, then Austrian foreign minister, that the Austrian advance in Servia constituted a fact covered in article seven of the triple alliance treaty entitling Italy to compen-

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TRANSYLVANIA TO BE USED AS A WARSHIP

New York, May 20—It was announced at the Cunard Line offices today that the anchor line steamship Transylvania, which arrived in Glasgow from New York on Sunday last, had been requisitioned by the British government. Her sailings have accordingly been cancelled. She was due to leave Glasgow next Saturday for New York.

The withdrawal of the Transylvania leaves in the trans-Atlantic passenger service of the Cunard and Anchor lines only the steamships Ordana and Tuscania.

BERLIN TELLS OF BIG VICTORIES

Berlin, May 20—The German army headquarters' staff today gave out the following statement:

"In the Western theatre: Gloomy and hazy weather hindered active fighting in Flanders and Northwestern France yesterday. We made a little progress in the Loretto Hills.

"At Ablain a night advance made by the enemy was repulsed after hand to hand fighting.

"In the Eastern theatre: "We had an engagement with the strong forces of the enemy reported to be advancing on the line of Shadora-Tromeburg.

"Russians' attacks on the Dubyisa were repulsed. Nine hundred prisoners and two machine guns remained in our hands.

"Yesterday we attacked to the north of Hodubis. We captured a hill and took 560 more prisoners.

"Russian forces advancing south of the Niemen were completely defeated at Gryeszabuda, Symtwoty and Szaki. Remnants of the enemy's forces are fleeing in an easterly direction into the forest. Minor divisions still are holding Sutki.

"The losses of the Russians in killed were very heavy and the number of prisoners for this reason increases by only 2,000.

"Two hundred and four more machine guns were captured.

Declares Roosevelt Is A "Jekyl-Hyde"

Syracuse, May 20—The legal issue between Wm. Barnes and Theodore Roosevelt went to the jury this afternoon after Justice Andrews delivered his charge.

Syracuse, May 20—Wm. L. Ivens, chief counsel for William Barnes in his suit for libel against Theodore Roosevelt, concluded his address to the jury today by assailing the former president as being the possessor of a "Jekyl-Hyde personality" instead of Mr. Barnes.

At the afternoon session Justice Andrews delivered his instructions as to the final proceeding before the jury began its consideration of the case.

Mr. Ivens in his address said: "The whole trouble with the defendant in this case and the reason he has gotten himself into this position is that he did not follow out the advice which Cromwell gave to Cardinal Wolsey 'Cast aside ambition. By this sign fell the Angels.'"

ENGLISH GENERAL KILLED

London, May 20—A British casualty list issued today includes the names of 170 officers and 1400 men. Nine hundred casualties in the Australian ranks on the Gallipoli Peninsula are reported, as well as naval losses as 150 in the same area. The list of wounded is headed by the name of Gen. Sir William Birdwood, commander-in-chief of the Australian forces in the Dardanelles.

Gen. Birdwood's military career began in 1883, when he was appointed a lieutenant in the Royal Scots Fusiliers. He has seen service in South Africa and India and several times has been mentioned in dispatches for heroism. He was severely wounded in South Africa.

GERMAN DIPLOMAT STABBED

Washington, May 20.—Charge D'Affairs Magnus of the German legation in Mexico City was attacked and stabbed by a robber Tuesday near the legation. He reported the attack to the German embassy here today and said it had no political significance. He was seriously wounded.

GAINS MADE BY FRENCH

Paris, May 20—French troops have been landed at Seddul Bahr at the southern tip of the Gallipoli Peninsula and on the European side of the Dardanelles, and are now fighting around the Turkish positions at Krithia, according to a dispatch received by the Grecian newspaper Messager d'Athens, from Mudros, Lemnos Island. This information was received today by the Havas News Agency from Athens.

AMERICAN, TRIED AS SPY, HANGS HIMSELF RATHER THAN SUBMIT TO DEATH ON ENGLISH SCAFFOLD

ENGLAND BRIGHTENS; PLAN TO FORM A NEW CABINET PLEASES ALL

London, May 20.—The wave of depression which has been sweeping England for the past few days following the receipt of war news regarded as unfavorable, was checked today by the definite announcement of the decision of the government to form a coalition cabinet, together with better news from the eastern front.

It is thought here that the Russian advance near Shavli, in Courland, where he line of the forces of Emperor Nicholas have been straightened out will do much to counteract the effect of the Austro-German advance in the vicinity of Przemysl across the river San.

The military writers in the morning newspapers claim that only one out of 14 Russian armies has been in deadly danger and that Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces in the field, is playing his usual strategic game of drawing the enemy away from his base.

Petrograd maintains that forty Austrian and German army corps have been used during the fighting of the past fortnight against the center of the Russian line along a front measuring 100 miles.

Reports from Athens set forth that the Allies have occupied the Turkish position of Kilid Bahr, on the European side of the straits and opposite Chanak. Occupation took place after the position had been reduced by a bombardment of the fleet.

On the western front the only indication of activity is the continuance of artillery duels.

The Italian parliament meets today. It is generally felt that the momentous decision of war or peace can hardly be postponed beyond this sitting, although reports are current that Austria has increased the concession she is willing to make in order to insure Italian neutrality.

HOT WORDS PASS IN LEGISLATURE

Columbus, May 20—Another dispute between Dayton and Upper Miami Valley interests, threatening to rival the fight on conservancy amendment measures developed in the house today over the Garver bill to change the course of the National road so that it would avoid Dayton and Eaton. The measure prescribed that the inter-county road running due west from Springfield should be known as the National road. Ill-feeling was created and hot words passed for nearly an hour before the measure finally was postponed to later in the day.

Despite the plans for recess today, both houses worked leisurely at their morning sessions. Republican senators spent a large part of the morning in secret caucus, but it was reported no conclusion was reached on reconsidering the Jackson municipal bonds bill. Many measures remained on the working calendars of both houses for discussion when they started afternoon sessions. It was expected that the final recess until the adjournment date, May 27, would not be taken until late tonight.

Representative Deaton, of Miami, led the fight for change of the National road in the house, and Representative Stokes, of Dayton, fought the measure. Mr. Deaton declared that the location proposed for the highway was the original route of the old National pike. This was not denied by Mr. Stokes, but he said the proposed line encountered hilly country and would be difficult to maintain. Representative Jackson, of Clark, urged enactment of the bill.

The house passed the Cass bill, which would permit common pleas judges in adjoining counties to change services.

SHIPS TAKE WAR CARGOES

Seattle, Wash., May 20—The Japanese steamer Shinsei Maru, and the steamer Hazel Dollar were loading today full cargoes for Vladivstock. The former will take munitions of war and army supplies and the latter will carry a cargo of automobile trucks for the Russian transport service.

The Blue funnel line announces that the British steamer Talthybius will sail direct for Vladivostock, May 27. A full cargo is being assembled here for shipment to Vladvostock on the great northern liner Minnesota which is now undergoing repairs in Japan.

ALLEN WON'T RUN

Cincinnati, May 20.—Congressman Alfred G. Allen, who had been prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor of Cincinnati on the Democratic ticket, said today he would not under any circumstances make the race.

LEAVES NOTE, THANKING GOD HE WAS ABLE TO HELP HIS FATHERLAND

London, May 20 (10:14 a. m.)—Anton Kuepferle, who claimed to be an American citizen who once lived in Brooklyn and who has been on trial charged with giving military information to the enemies of Great Britain, committed suicide last night in Brixton prison. He is reported to have hanged himself.

The trial of Kuepferle began Tuesday at the Old Bailey police court. The charge against the prisoner was that he attempted to communicate to Germany information respecting British warships and military forces.

Kuepferle pleaded not guilty. The prosecution contended that while he claimed to be a naturalized American citizen, he was in reality a German.

Kuepferle was charged with writing a letter to an address in a neutral country in Europe giving valuable facts regarding English military positions. It was asserted that while the letter appeared on its face to be an innocent commercial communication, it was found to be interlined in invisible ink with military information written in the German language.

Kuepferle arrived in Liverpool February 14. He showed a passport signed by Secretary of State William J. Bryan issued ten days prior to his sailing from New York. In writing the letter which resulted in his arrest he gave his home address as Brooklyn. He represented himself to be a woolen merchant. From Liverpool he went to Dublin and then to London where he was arrested February 16.

His hearing was resumed yesterday in Old Bailey but was in Camera, "in the interests of the national safety."

Kuepferele left a message written on a slate bearing testi-

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AUSTRIANS MAKE STAND; BIG BATTLE IS EXPECTED

Berlin, May 20 (via London) May 20—The correspondent of the Local Anzeiger at Austrian field headquarters has sent a dispatch reading:

"The Austrians have assembled reinforcements behind the river San and have made preparations for a stand. We must therefore anticipate a big battle in the near future. The Teutonic allies already have gained several strong footholds on the Russian side of the river San and the ring around Przemysl steadily is growing smaller."

A correspondent of the paper of Czernowitz wires that fighting there is continuous and that shrapnel is being used largely against the German and Austrian positions around that city.

WHEELING EDITOR DIES

Wheeling, W. Va., May 20.—J. B. Tanney, 74, publisher of the Wheeling Register, and one of the leading Democrats of West Virginia, died here today after a protracted illness. Mr. Tanney was United States consul at Belfast, Ireland, from 1892 to 1896.

Not havin' heard anything from Teddy for th' past forty-eight hours or more I wunta rise t' remark that there must be somethin' wrong. I'm not one o' those who think that th' refusal o' th' great American press t' re-echo his war talk has shut up Teddy. Not a bit of it. If he's able t' talk he's gotta talk that's all. He must be sick. Here's for tomorrow;

Ohio—Rain tonight and Friday; warmer tonight in south portion.

Kentucky—Unsettled tonight and Friday; probably local showers.

West Virginia—Rain tonight and probably Friday.

SEC. GARRISON ADMITS U. S. SHOULD PREPARE

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., May 20—The problem of armaments, which has evoked more discussion than any other question before the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration, was brought to the front again today by an address of Secretary of War Garrison. The secretary's topic was "the problem of national defense."

To deliver the address he made a hasty trip from Washington, using train, automobile and buckboard to reach this retreat in the Shawangunk mountains. He departed immediately after speaking so that he might reach Washington in time for the cabinet meeting tomorrow.

Mr. Garrison's address was not as pronounced as that delivered yesterday by Pres. Hibben, of Princeton, along somewhat similar lines, but he left no doubt of the fact that he favored strengthening the national defenses and making the United States ready to protect itself from any and all aggression.

"I am utterly out of sympathy," he declared, "with the idea that we should neglect or postpone consideration of what is now the existing condition, because of a hope or a belief, or even conviction that it may be altered, even radically altered in the future.

"Our isolation," he continued, "is geographical only. Modern conditions have caused the interests of nations to be as co-related as those of families who have intermarried. The interests of many of the large nations today are inextricably interwoven with those of some, or all of the others.

"Self-respect requires that we should be prepared to protect that which we cherish, which not only includes our material possession, but that intangible something which makes us a distinctive nation in the eyes of the world."

248 RISK VOYAGE

New York, May 20.—The French Line steamship Rochambeau, carrying 125 cabin and 123 steerage passengers, left here today for Bordeaux. Fear of submarines were apparently not entertained by Captain Dumont of the liner who said French warships always convoyed his vessel through the danger zone.

WILSON PROUD OF U. S. NAVY

Washington, May 20.—President Wilson's impressions of the Atlantic fleet, which he reviewed at New York early this week, were set forth in a statement issued at the White House today on the president's return.

"I was greatly struck by the appearance of the fleet and the quiet efficiency shown by the officers and men, as I am sure every one must have been who had the pleasure of seeing it assembled at New York. There could have been no more interesting verification of Admiral Dewey's statement that the navy was never in a better shape or more efficient condition and that the country has every reason to be proud of it and also should have every reason to wish it to go forward in its policy of steadily adding to its strength and equipment."

BRITISH TRAWLER SINKS

Peterhead, Scotland, May 20—The British trawler Chrysolite was sunk by a German submarine at a point thirty miles off Kinnaird Head in the North Sea yesterday.

SEES SIGNS OF BIG PROSPERITY WAVE

New York, May 20—A glimpse of the prosperity just ahead, as great as any the United States has ever enjoyed in the past, was portrayed today by James H. Manning, president of the National Savings Bank of Albany in his address before the second annual meeting of the Savings Bank Association of New York.

"There are unmistakable signs of rapidly approaching prosperity," Mr. Manning said. "As the only great nation having an available supply of money to lean and foodstuffs, metals and other necessary products to sell, the calls upon us will be heavy and insistent." The coming year gives promise of bringing another golden harvest for western farmers. The copper industry is booming as it has not boomed for many a year. The great iron and steel centers have already felt the ground swell and are moving on the uptide with a strength and volume that nothing can withstand.

"All lines of business have been placed on a more stable working basis. It is safe to predict that an era of prosperity is at hand for the United States which will be one of the greatest yet enjoyed, no matter how long the war may last."

Roy Mac Has Eye On Congressional Seat, Kicks On New Plan

It is evident from the news at Columbus that Representative Sprague and Senator Tremper have not "gotten together" on the gerrymandering bill. In the House Sprague fixed up his ideas of where Scioto county ought to be and put her back into the old Tenth district with Adams, Pike, Jackson, Lawrence and Gallia counties. In this form the bill passed the House and Scioto citizens were cut loose from the present Sixth district. Now comes Senator Tremper when the bill reaches the senate and he has a little whacking done which puts Scioto in a district composed of Adams, Lawrence, Jackson, Vinton, Gallia, Meigs and Hocking. Our old neighbor Pike is sent in to strange company and the balance of Southern Ohio is tacked onto Scioto to make a new Tenth district.

After the Senate had reconstructed the gerrymander, it passed the bill, but the House refused to agree and it is now in a conference committee which will probably reshape the map again. In the meantime local Republicans who have their eyes on a seat in congress, are tearing their hair and praying for a getting together of their representative and senator so that Scioto will not be buried with all the rest of the Southern Ohio counties of the Republican persuasion.

The Columbus Journal, in its Thursday issue, let a little light onto the congressional row and incidentally told how Roy McElhaney, local Republican leader, and Congressman Kearns had entered into a little deal on the side. The Journal had this to say:

"A monstrous howl went up from Congressman Kearns of Clermont and Roy McElhaney, of Scioto, when they learned that the Sixth District was to be dissected. Kearns defeated McElhaney for the nomination and was elected, but they have a gentleman's agreement that when Kearns has had two terms, he is to step down and give McElhaney a chance. Under the senate arrangement these two would be put into different districts, Kearns in the Sixth and McElhaney in the Tenth.

"But what different districts they would be than at present! The Sixth would be composed of Warren, Clinton and Fayette, taken from the Seventh; Ross from the Eleventh and retain Clermont, Brown, Highland and Pike. The Tenth would be made up of Scioto and Adams from the present Sixth; Lawrence, Gallia, Jackson, Vinton and Meigs from the present Tenth, and Hocking from the present Eleventh. McElhaney thus might be confronted for the nomination by two present congressmen, Ricketts of Hocking and Switzer of Gallia, who are thrown into the same district. Because Ricketts and Switzer would be in the same district, Senator Vollenweider of Vinton voted against the bill. The idea of putting these two men together is said to be to force Switzer, who has been elected three times, to yield the seat to Ricketts a new man.

"The house draft of the gerrymander would restore the old Tenth District of Scioto, Adams, Pike, Gallia, Jackson and Lawrence. The only change made by the senate in the house draft of the Sixth is the addition of Pike county, which is normally Democratic by a small majority, not enough to endanger the political aspect of the district."

Wants Girl In School.

C. C. Christopher, colored, of No. 1015 Gay street, appealed to the city police officials Thursday to use their influence in having his fourteen year old daughter restored to her right of attending school. He claimed Judge T. C. Beatty had forbidden her from attending school. He was referred to Supt. Frank Appel of the public schools.

Initiation Postponed.

River City Camp, Woodmen of the World, will postpone the class initiation planned for Friday evening to participate in the patriotic exercises at the high school auditorium. All members are requested to report at the lodge hall, Sixth and Chillicothe streets, at seven o'clock to form in procession for the parade. Oliver Lewis will act as marshal of the W. O. W. division.

Prompt attention to repair work. Walters Plumbing Co., adv

Merger Halted

The plan to merge the Kendall Avenue Baptist church and the Hutchins Street Baptist church has been temporarily halted, it was announced Thursday.

The board of the Ohio State Baptist Association will meet in July and it is not thought any action will be taken on the proposed merger until this time.

A representative of the board was here a few days ago and looked over the two churches and was acquainted with the condition of both congregations. He will make his report to the board meeting to be held in July.

Ten More Enlist

At three o'clock this afternoon ten additional enlistments had been registered at the Board of Trade offices for the new military company now being organized. Capt. Smith has received assurance that a large number of prospective members would be on hand to enlist this evening. O. N. G. officers, headed by Col. E. S. Bryant, Assistant Adjutant General, are in charge.

Pleads Guilty

Edward Nagel and S. W. Miles, local butchers, entered pleas of guilty to day to affidavits charging them with selling lard containing cotton seed oil in Squire Byron's court, and were fined $25 and costs each, which they paid. The accused informed the court that they were guilty of negligence in not labeling the cans of lard with the ingredients, the adulteration not being an offense if properly labeled.

Vienna Auxiliary

All members of S. V. Auxiliary of Vienna Camp are requested to meet at headquarters, Gallia and Findlay, at seven o'clock sharp Friday evening. All sisters uniting initiation and prospective cordially invited to join with us. A full attendance urged.

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NOTICE TO TEACHERS

All teachers who have completed the O. T. R. C. Course for this year should report to me at once as my report must go to the State Secretary before the first of June. In making your report for this year tell me how many years in all have you completed the work.

Teachers who have read four years or more may receive the diploma. The diploma fee of 25 cents pays for engrossing and mailing. Send it with your application for a diploma.

Those who already have diplomas will receive the proper seals direct from the State Secretary as soon as my report reaches him.

Certificates, diplomas, and seals for the Pupils' Circle may be had by writing to W. E. Kershner, Page Hall, O. S. U., Columbus, O.

E. O. McCOWEN,
County Superintendent.

The Movies

At The Columbia Tonight "Alias Jimmy Valentine" Greatest Picture of the Year

The Columbia tonight is showing what is considered one of the greatest pictures of the year in "Alias Jimmy Valentine," a five-reel reproduction of the famous play of the same name, which made such a big hit in theatrical circles a couple of seasons ago.

This great picture is a Lichler production through the World Feature Film company, and Robert Warwick, who was such a great success in "The Dollar Mark," takes the principal part, supported by an all-star company.

By special permission from the governor of New York all the prison scenes in this picture were taken in the famous Sing Sing prison.

No advance in price of admission for this picture. First show in the afternoon at 1:30, then at 3 and 4:30. The first evening show at 6:30, then at 8 and 9:30, and you had better come early.

Tomorrow is Paramount day and one of the best of the Paramount pictures to date will be shown in "The Commanding Officer," a five-reel adaptation of the noted successful play of the same name, with the Famous Players supporting Alice Dovey, recognized as one of the most beautiful, as well as one of the most talented young actresses recently seen on Broadway.

These two pictures, today and tomorrow, are the very cream of recent photoplay productions, and you simply can't afford to miss either of them.

Genuine European War Pictures, Columbia Next Thursday

Manager Tynes today contracted for genuine European war pictures to be shown at the Columbia next Thursday, afternoon and evening.

This is the set of pictures which were recently shown at the Grand opera house in Cincinnati, and they bear the endorsement of the consuls of the Imperial German government as being absolutely authentic and true pictures of the present war in Europe.

These interesting pictures, more than four thousand feet in length, are in charge of Lieutenant Rodrigues, of the Dutch army, and he lectures and explains all the details as the four reels are run upon the screen, showing the mobilization of the vast armies in the different warring countries, warships, Zeppelins, armored trains, aeroplanes.

Parts of many battles are pictured; the German march through Belgium, showing the famous siege of Liege and the bombardment of Brussels and other big cities in Belgium and northern France.

Many scenes are shown of the campaign along the Yser river and every scene is fully explained by Lieutenant Rodrigues.

These wonderfully interesting pictures will be shown at the regular price of admission: Adults 10 cents and children under 12 for 5 cents.

Remember the date, next Thursday, May 27, and begin now to make your arrangements to see these interesting pictures of the fearful war now in progress.

Charlie Chaplin At The Lyric Tonight

Charlie Chaplin, the funny man of the movies, will be at the Lyric tonight in a two reel scream called "His Trysting Place," and from all accounts it is the craziest picture of them all. Ethel Clayton, the popular Lubin star, is also an attraction in a splendid society drama called "The Unmarried Husband," a two reel feature.

Tomorrow's Broadway Star feature is a most original and interesting story, called "Between the Two of Them," three reels of gripping interest, superbly acted by a cast of Vitagraph stars. "Frauds," the three reel Essanay feature on Saturday is also something exceptionally good, featuring Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn. Don't miss this fine picture on Saturday.

Among the big things coming next week will be the famous Fritzi Scheff in a five reel frolic "The Pretty Mrs. Smith" on Tuesday. "The School For Scandal" on Wednesday and "The Fairy and the Waif" on Thursday. These are all exceptionally fine productions—some that you can't afford to miss.

Renfax Musical Pictures At The Exhibit Today

Renfax musical motion pictures which were to have been shown at the Exhibit Wednesday will be given today and thus these feature pictures will be shown at the Exhibit two days in succession as Manager Law has another series booked for Friday. "The Piano Tuner" and "Where Does Daddy Go When He Goes Out?" are the two celebrated musical numbers for today. In addition there are three other reels of good moving pictures which along with orchestral music makes an exceptionally generous program for the small admission of five cents. "On High Seas" is a two reel, strong powerful drama with a nautical flavor. Then there is a good Keystone comedy entitled "From Patches to Plenty," featuring "Hogan."

Tomorrow's musical numbers, accompanied by picture action will be "When Father Papered the Parlor" and "Then I Laughed." The dramatic feature will be "Minerva's Mission," shown in two reels and, a comedy "Bill Gives A Smoker," featuring Fay Tinker.

"The Master Key" At Arcana Tonight

Talk about your big city shows, see the one Manager Potts has provided for his Arcana patrons this afternoon and tonight. Five big reels of great interest will be shown—five, mark you, and all for the small admission of 5 cents. First and foremost will be the twelfth episode of "The Master Key," that wonderful Western production that has proven to be one of the greatest features ever shown on canvas. In addition to that Manager Potts will show a two-reel comedy drama, entitled, "No. 330—Big U." This is a guaranteed attraction and is full of exciting climaxes. A rib-tickling comedy, entitled "The Wrong Address," will bring the great program to a close. Patrons of the Arcana will be given a rich treat tonight, for the program arranged for them is without a doubt the greatest ever shown in the city for five cents. Remember that the Arcana has been completely remodeled. It is now in elegant shape, being cozy, comfortable and thoroughly sanitary. See the great program for tonight and join the rapidly increasing army of Arcana boosters.

New Sun

The 130 ton gun in the 12 inch turret was ready to hurl an 850 pound shell ten miles and even at that distance put it through a 3 inch armor plate.

The adventurous photographer station so near it was sorry now that he came.

He was about to receive a shock—that much he knew. He knew, too, that he would experience a new sensation, and one that in all probability would be so new that he could not imagine it.

He became nervous.

But there was no escape now.

Moreover he told himself he was not a quitter.

So his professional self got the mastery.

Although he had heaved his camera well he forgot to brace himself, and after it was all over the gun crew had to pick him up a rather crippled photographer. After two weeks in the hospital he recovered sufficiently well to tell what little he remembered, but he could not tell it nearly as well as the pictures he secured for Lyman H. Howe which will be shown in the New Sun theatre on May 25 and 26.

At The Strand

Two big features of three reels each will be shown at the Strand tonight.

The first, a Pathe film in three parts, "It's A Long, Long Way to Tipperary", is a rousing, rollicking drama of love and war. A timely tale of thrilling deeds of valor with just enough comedy to balance the whole.

Replete with stirring battle scenes, it is tempered with a love that endures through all. The second feature is "Our Mary Fuller" in "Mary's Duke", a fascinating comedydrama in three parts.

Mary Fuller was never more charming. See this, the prettiest comedy drama of the season "just for fun."

5c At the Temple

Have you ever visited the Temple theatre? If not, why not? Put aside your prejudice and drop in tonight and see the "Station Content." It's an interesting story of a wife's attention and devotion to her husband. It will charm you because it's thrilling, realisting and a heart gripping little story in two reels. Our third reel is entitled "The Life Worth While," where sunshine changes silver threads to gold, played by the Thanhouser twins. The fourth reel's title is "Just Kids," a comedy.

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DOG FOLLOWED GIRL TO ITS SORROW

Miss McCoy a pretty Wheelersburg girl, appealed to the police to relieve her of the annoying companionship of the family dog Thursday.

The dog had followed its mistress to the city and had barked at and snapped at several persons so that she feared to keep the canine any longer. Police Clerk Dennis Coriell had quite a time corraling the dog but once he had it safely tied the rest was easy for the journey to Dog Heaven was soon under way.

GIRL TAKES POISON?

Some young woman in the East End called up the Times office over telephone early Thursday morning and reported that a girl had taken poison with suicidal intent, giving the name of the supposed person. Diligent inquiry in the neighborhood, however, failed to develop anyone who knew anything about the report.

Allen Chapel Program

Following is the program to be given at Allen Chapel church tonight under the auspices of the A. M. E. Sewing Circle:

Solo—Miss Bessie Johnson.
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Reading—Mr. Ollie Redman.
Solo—Mr. Garrett Starks.
Selection—Lewis Brass Band.
Solo—Miss Zelda White.
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POLICE CHASE A PROWLER

Police had an exciting chase after a prowler who escaped from Officer Anderson Henderson Thursday morning at 3 o'clock.

The officer was attracted to the man standing near the post office building. The fellow was next seen peeping in the Hibbs Hardware company's store on Sixth street. He overtook him at the old Blade building and began questioning him. The man gave his name as George Hughes but could not give a satisfactory account of his presence on the street at that unseemly hour and Henderson took him in tow. Suddenly the man broke loose and ran like a scared deer. Officers Linck and Mason joined in the chase. They hotly pursued the fellow almost overtaking him near Fourth and Waller streets. Several pistol shots fired to scared him failed to bring the fellow to a halt. All trace of him was lost after the pursuers reached Earlytown he disappearing at Eighth and Elm streets.

Freshmen Elect

The Freshmen class of the high school held a meeting after school Thursday and elected the following officers: President, James Trane; vice president, Helen Dawson; secretary, Anna Morris; treasurer, Selby Dillon; faculty member, Miss Ethel Morris. A meeting will be held Friday when the officers will be installed. The new officers will serve until the middle of next term.

The Freshmen track team has organized and they expect to win some of the prize money in the inter-class track meet which will probably be held at the school picnic to be given in a few weeks.

FUND GROWS

Contributions to the fund for entertaining the delegates to the Firemen's Convention in this city next August have now totaled over $700 and thel ocal committee is almost assured of securing the amount desired, $1000. Chief McOuat reported the following additional subscriptions this afternoon:

Nordeorfer & Silcox, $10; W. W. Reilly, $5; H. Rottinghaus, $5; J. D. Bridges, $5; B. Augustin, Jr., $5; River City Lumber Co., $5; Tracy Shoe Co., $5; Kah-Patterson Co., $3; Massa & Oakes, $3; Coburn Bros., $3; the Model Laundry, $2.50; R. W. Applegate, $2; H. S. Howe & Co., $2; W. L. Reinert Co., $2.50; London Shop, $2; John Voelker & Co., $2.50; C. M. Howland, $1; John Wente, $1; H. S. Cadot, $1; Adam Geisler, $1; C. E. Stahler, $1; W. H. Wagner $2; Doerr Bros., $1; The Security Savings Bank, $15; Ohio Valley Bank, $2; Wm. Inman, $2.

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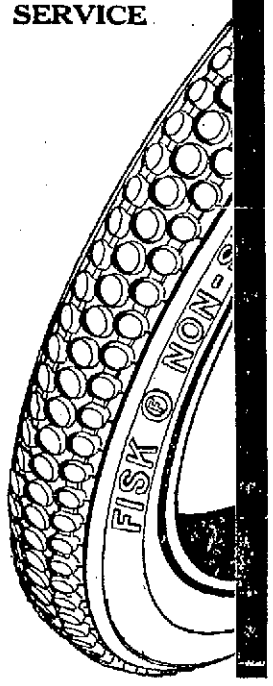

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RIGHT-OF-WAY DEEDS

Several deeds, conveying right-of-way privileges in the northwestern part of the county to the Chesapeake and Ohio Northern Railroad company, were filed for record today. Among them were: Samuel S. Barrett and others, 2.6 acres in Harrison, $500; Zenis Hayward and wife, 12.27 acres in Harrison, $5,000; Samuel S. Barrett and others, 2.30 acres in Harrison, $500; George McLaughalin, 5.22 acres in Madison, $1,000; Moody Kirkpatrick and wife, 2.60 acres in Madison, $42.28; Harvey McKinney and wife, 2.80 acres, $42.23; Lorenzo D. McKinney and wife, 2.80 acres in Madison, $42.28; Rachael McKinney and others, 2.80 acres in Madison, $273.16; Rachael A. Dodds and others, 2.80 acres in Madison, $600; Hayes Coriell and wife, crossing, $500.

37,000 PUT TO WORK IN PITTSBURGH DISTRICT

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 20—Resumption of Lake coal shipments and increased consumption of coal by industries in this section have resulted in renewed activity in mine operations in the Pittsburgh district.

Three-fourths of the miners in this district, estimated at about 37,000, have been recalled to work after months of idleness, and it is expected this number will be increased soon. Should coal operations grow much heavier, however, a shortage of men for the mines is feared.

Italy's King Pardons Many Rail Strikers

Rome, May 19 (Via Paris May 20)—King Victor Emmanuel, it is asserted, has decided to grant a general pardon to all railway employees who were punished because of the part they took in the strike recently. This action is said to be designed as another step to bring about a closer union of all parties in the country.

Reports received from every university in Italy are to the effect that the students of each will volunteer in a body if war is declared.

Dispatches from Verona say that Italians whose homes are in Austria and Italy are pouring across the frontier by thousands every day because they are fearful of reprisals in the event of hostilities.

The authorities at Genoa have been ordered to keep a close watch on the German steamers interned at that port, as it is believed their captains may attempt to escape after a declaration of war or to blow up the vessels.

CONVENTION ENDS TODAY

Painesville, Ohio, May 20.—This was the final day of the annual convention of the congregational churches of Ohio and the new officers were to be elected at the forenoon session. Rev. H. A. Bridges of Boston, was to speak on "Religious Journalism," and Rev. Dan Bradley of Cleveland on "The World Crisis in Missions." This afternoon the topic will be "Federation and Religious Education."

DANIELS TO ASSIST IN EXERCISES

Delaware, Ohio, May 20.—The seventy-first annual commencement of Ohio Wesleyan university will be held June 12-16. Among those who will deliver addresses are Bishop J. W. Bashford, of China; Josephus Daniels, Secretary of United States Navy; Dr. A. C. Piersel, of Springfield, Ills., and Dr. Charles E. Schenck, of Cincinnati.

The commencement address will be delivered by Mr. Daniels. One of the largest classes in the history of the university will be graduated.

CHURCHMEN GATHER IN ROCHESTER

Rochester, N. Y., May 20—The 125th general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States opened here this morning with commissioners, prominent divines and leaders in missionary, education and every phase of Christian activity from all parts of the nation and foreign fields present. The attendance is estimated at between 1200 and 1500.

Communion and the sermon of the retiring moderator, the Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were the features of the opening session.

Election of a moderator was expected to be the chief business of the afternoon session.

Disbands

The Scioto County Automobile Association organized in February 1911, has disbanded. The association consisted of 61 members, the charter list which was to contain 100 names, never being filled. An entrance fee of $5 was charged each member and Thursday a $2 check was mailed each member, the $2 being the balance left.

Motored to City

Dr. J. D. Hendrickson motored to the city from Harrisonville [illegible] here.

Special meeting of Bricklayers' Union No. 39, Portsmouth, O., tonight at 8 o'clock. adv 20-1

BASE BALL

At the end of the fourth inning the Cobblers were leading the Lexington club with a one run lead, the score being 1 to 0. Jacobus and Mills were in the points for the locals and Lingrel and Blackwell formed the battery for the Colts. Portsmouth's run was scored in the third inning when Bush scored from first on McHenry's triple to the pennant pole.

Have Moved.

Robert Ury and family moved Thursday from Kinney street to the old red brick property on Chillicothe street that many years ago served as an N. & W. depot.

One Candidate

Portsmouth Lodge No. 416 I. O. O. F. at its weekly meeting on Wednesday night conferred the first degree upon one candidate, W. H. McHenry. The lodge is planning to hold a smoker in the near future.

WITH THE SICK

Joe Scholl, Jr., steel worker, of Eleventh and Findlay streets, is confined to his home with a serious attack of pneumonia. About one week ago, while at work, the handle of a milling machine suddenly flew back and struck him on the chest. Sunday he enjoyed a trip to Ironton and at midnight Sunday he took seriously ill with a pain near his heart. Monday he developed pneumonia.

Mrs. Frank Tilton, wife of the popular head clerk at the New Idea clothing store, has been ill with la grippe at their home on Third street the past several days.

A. C. Terrell, who is employed at Wayne, W. Va., has been called home by the serious illness of his wife. She was formerly Miss Bertha Daum. Mrs. Terrell has been suffering for about a year with a general breakdown.

Mrs. Sophia Douwel, of Sixth street, received a letter Wednesday from her son, Jacob Douwel, of Detroit, Mich., in which he says his daughter, Loretta, is seriously ill with tonsilitis and that a young son is ill with diptheria.

Mrs. Warren Adams, who has been ill with kidney trouble at her home on Front street for five weeks is improving.

The condition of Mrs. Ellen Wertz, of Grimes avenue, a sister of Police Officer Joe Stokley, who underwent a surgical operation at Hempstead hospital Wednesday night, is reported discouraging.

Leases Filed

Nine oil and gas leases made out last July in favor of Fred W. Worthington, a former local resident, and later transferred to the Ohio Valley Gas company, of Pittsburgh, were filed with the county recorder today for record. The leases are on the West Side properties of W. O. Shively, C. T. Noel, David McCain, Lycurgus Ward, Garr Phillips, George Blakman, Jeff Pollock and J. P. Hurley. The time limit is indefinite.

Decrease Shown

Enumeration of school children in three of the four city wards by Joseph Mitchell shows a loss in each ward compared to last year, which it is thought, a revision may overcome. The First Ward shows a loss of 52, the Second Ward, with a few precincts missing, 150, and the Third Ward, a loss of 1. A revision of the Second Ward is sure to be made.

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DO IT NOW

R. G. Applegate, of 1314 Seventeenth street, has joined the Do It Now club and is having his house repainted.

The work of remodeling the headquarters of the Scioto County Anti-Tuberculosis society's headquarters on Gay street is well underway and the extensive improvements will soon be completed.

Bobst and Huffman are building a new addition to their store property, corner of Fifteenth and Findlay streets.

BIRTHS

Born, on Monday morning last, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jackson, of Highland avenue.

A daughter was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Angals of Ninth street. Mr. Ingals is employed by the N. & W.

SOCIETY

The Senior reception given by the Juniors, assisted by Superintendent F. S. Alley and wife, Principal Louis A. McKinley and teachers, Misses Lucile Moore and Eulah Jones, at the high school building at Lucasville Tuesday evening, was one of the most successful of the kind ever held there. The reception hall and tables were very tastefully decorated with the class colors, pink and gray. The favors were pink carnations, the class flower. The supper consisted of three courses and was prepared by the domestic science girls of the Junior class. Superintendent Alley presided as toast-master and responses were made by all four members of the Senior class and by Principal McKinley, Rev. I. C. Peitsmeyer and Miss Nell Carley, on behalf of the Juniors.

The commencement exercises will be held at the Lucasville M. E. church tonight (Thursday). Hon. Henry T. Bannon, of this city, is to deliver the commencement address.

Miss Nell Henderson of Ninth street, returned Thursday from Cincinnati where she attended the wedding of her sister, Lillian Henderson, to Frank B. Schleinhege of Lucasville. The marriage took place Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock at St. Xavier's church. The impressive ring ceremony was said by Rev. Father De Schmidt. The attendants were the bride's sister Miss Nell Henderson and Mr. Charles J. Crane of Cincinnati. After the wedding a four course dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crane in the Queen City. The happy couple will go to Louisville, Ky., to visit relatives and friends for a few days after which they will come to Portsmouth and go to housekeeping in The Schapiro flats on Second and Chillicothe streets.

The bride is a daughter of L. H. Henderson of Ninth street and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schleinhege, Sr., of Lucasville. He is employed as machinist by the Portsmouth Engine company. Both are 24 years of age.

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BUILDING PERMITS

Adams Bros., sanitary sewer tap at No. 1007 Offnere street.

Undergoes Operation

Marjorie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Molster, of 1404 Third street, underwent a slight operation Thursday, which followed a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Attention Owls!

All Owls are requested to meet at the hall Fifth and Chillicothe streets at seven o'clock Friday evening. They will go from the hall to the high school in a body to attend the patriotic meeting held in the high school auditorium.

"Colored" Excursion

The Ohio river steamer Greyhound ran an excursion for colored people from Ashland and Ironton Thursday, and several hundred made the trip. Many of the visitors were guests of friends and relatives in the North End. A ball game between a local colored nine and a team composed of visitors was played on the Sixteenth diamond.

In Cincinnati

Wade Kennedy has gone to Cincinnati on a short business trip in the interest of the Irving Drew Shoe Company.

OBITUARY

Mrs. E. A. Yaple

Albert S. Yaple, N. & W. foreman, of 814 Court street, received a telegram at noon Thursday, informing him of the death of his mother, Mrs. E. A. Yaple, 70, of Chillicothe, which occurred at her home this morning. Death was due to bowel trouble after an illness of four days.

Besides Mr. Yaple of this city, she is survived by five other children, Wallace D., former mayor of Chillicothe and a member of the Ohio State Industrial commission, Mrs. Dessie Stanhope, Miss Vesta Yaple and Miss Alice Yaple, all of Chillicothe, and Mrs. Harry McKee, of Adelphi.

Mr. and Mrs. Yaple and family will attend the funeral, arrangements for which have not been definitely decided.

Frank Drown

A former well known Portsmouth boy passed away in Columbus, Wednesday afternoon when death claimed Frank Drown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Drown, of 728 Fifth street, this city. Mr. Drown's death followed two operations, which he was forced to undergo within the past month. He was operated upon for appendicitis and was recovering nicely when an abscess formed on the liver and it resulted in his death, the second operation not proving a success.

Mr. Drown was a shoeworker, and was about 37 years of age. Until a few years ago he resided here and his many friends will regret to learn of his passing away in the Capital City.

Mr. Drown, in addition to his parents, is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertha Smith Drown, and one son Earl and one brother and one sister, Clifford Drown and Miss Caddie Drown of this city. The body will arrive here from Columbus and the funeral services and interment will be held here.

Mr. Drown was an exemplary young man, industrious, devoted to his family and was faithful to any trust reposed in him. His death is surrounded by singularly pathetic circumstances. The family for many years resided on Fourth street, opposite the Fourth street school building.

The body will arrive here Friday morning from Columbus and upon its arrival the funeral arrangements will be made. Interment will take place in Greenlawn.

Thomas Allen

Thomas, bright little, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, of 918 Plum street, died at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon, after a short illness with intestinal trouble. The funeral services will be held Friday and burial will be made at Siloam, Ky.

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COLONEL ROOSEVELT.

The editor of the Marion, Ohio, Tribune, was not feeling in perfect harmony with the universe Tuesday and so he took his pen in hand and "got it out of his system" by whacking away at Col. Roosevelt for a couple of columns. He said all the mean things about the Colonel he could think of and then evidently borrowed a few from his neighbor next door for good measure. Here are a few of the Marion man's reflections upon the former president of the United States. Some of the Colonel's friends down here will endorse them and some will not but here they are anyway:

"You cannot put it over Teddy. Had he been present on the morning of creation he wou'd have offered his valuable advice to the Creator of the Universe, and no doubt would have made many changes in the general plan of hings.

"His son once said of him that he always wanted to be the corpse at every prominent funeral he attended, and when he attended a wedding he always wanted to be the groom. His son should know him well, and he n doubt told the truth about his immortal dad when he spoke those words in levity. We all love Teddy, for the rooster that is in him. He would be cock of the walk at a poultry show or the prize Durham at a country fair, and Americans like this trait in men, somehow. They do take their hats off to the fellow in whom all gall seems to be united.

"Teddy will no doubt be the dark horse for the G. O. P. in the next Presidential campaign. They do not dare nominate anyone without his consent for if they do he will start another political Salvation Army all his own, and shoot a torpedo into their hulk. You remember what he did to "Dear Will" at the last funeral? Teddy torpedoed "Dear Will" both fore and aft. Poor "Will!"

"If the whale had swallowed Teddy instead of Jonah it would have been good night for the whale for Teddy would have gone right straight through him, flipped up on the whale's back just like he shinnied up that freight car the time he tore his pants in Marion, and brother whale would have discovered itself being ridden up Oyster Bay with Teddy on its back biting chunks out of its hide at every flip of its fins.

"The whale might have tried to get rid of him like the fellows tried to get him out of politics at the Chicago convention, but had it been successful Teddy would have constructed a whale of his own, and plunged in after the whale that swallowed him. We mention these things to show what a whale of a fellow Teddy is when he takes the notion. He has managed to get the support of all the political outlaws as well as the political saints, and that shows versatility sufficient to excite the envy of the gods.

"Now Teddy comes along with a solution of the delicate estrangement between this country and Germany. Teddy had a final opinion on that incident almost before it happened. He does not have to think the least bit about big problems. He depends on inspiration. Is that not perfectly bully? Teddy tells the world that Woodrow Wilson is more or less of a mutt, and if he had his way we would be at war in about three shakes of a lamb's tail, and maybe less time than that.

"But we need an Omnipotent man like Teddy. He has appointed himself as sort of a private secretary to God, and the Recording Angels, and is doing great work in helping to reconstruct the orbits of the planets. Before Teddy was born some of the planets were getting a bit wobbly in their courses, but Teddy will soon have that fixed up.. He has been somewhat detained in one or two instances, but that does not matter as the solar system will be glad to wait for him at anytime he happens to be engaged in some little matter of prosecuting a country newspaper that mentions the amount, and kind of booze he denies truthfully ever having so much as sniffed.

"Of course Teddy is just as right as can be when he interviews himself for the newspaper front pages as to how we should do this and that to Germany, and he is inspired unto wisdom raised to the fourth dimension when he throws his hat in the circus ring and mountebanks about. President Wilson being a bonehead, and this, that, and the other that no man could describe without having had a correspondence course in Teddy lingo.

"We all love Teddy for the opinions that are in him, but will not stay in him. Opinions have a little way of their own of leaking out of Teddy. His dyke system is not of the best. When he has anything in him in the way of advice leading from the recall of judicial decisions to the number of full sets of twins a couple should have the first two years of their married life he hauls off and effuses his advice with a gratuitous abandon that does credit to the noble generosity of his lion soul."

If there's anything eatable that has it on the strawberry and if there's anything makeable that can throw strawberry shortcake into the shade, we would like to get acquainted with them. That's all.

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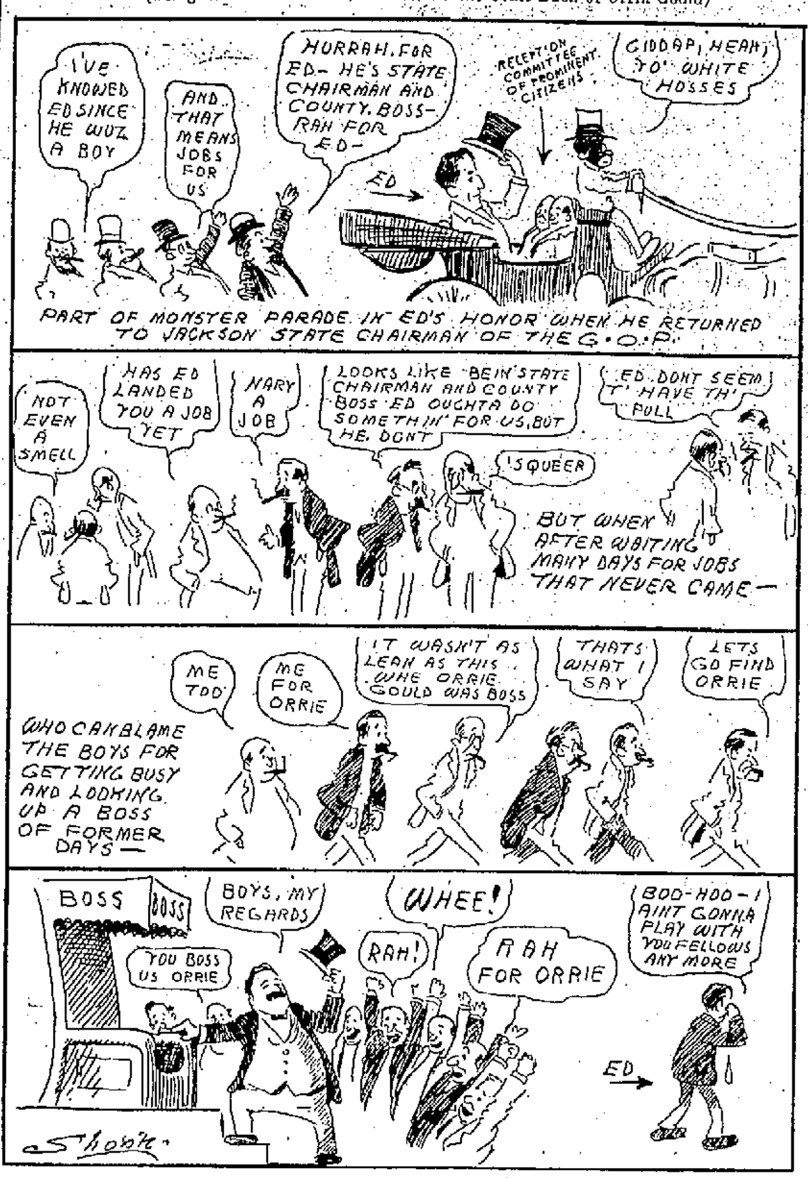

PAYING TOLL TO SPEED.

One hundred and twenty-seven persons were killed outright and two hundred and ten more or less seriously injured in auto accidents, during the month of April.

That is a frightful toll, paid for the ambition of this country to hurry. We can't take our pleasures quietly, sensibly, and fully nine-tenths of these casualties grew out of the common practice of speeding. Inherently, the automobile is not a death contrivance. Used prudently, even sanely, it is quite as safe as walking along the highway. It is not in us as a people to learn by experience; we take scant warning of the mishap of another, regarding him as unlucky and trusting to our own luck to carry us by. We have got to get used to a thing, it has to become common place for us to use it in general safety. So we are becoming accustomed to the automobile and accidents are decreasing, proportionately. It may not seem so from the appalling record just stated, but, nevertheless, it is the case. The percentage of increase in accident is not as great as the increase in the number of additional cars put in operation. Right in this man's town there are twenty-five per cent more cars running this year than last, but it is distinctly observable that people are running them with greater care. If they were not, so thick are they swarming, half of the population would be in its grave and the remainder in the hospital. The day will come and that shortly when there will be no more so-called auto accidents than arise from the use of horse vehicles.

"I am a candidate for re-election and nobody can force me out of the race", said Mayor Spiegel, of Cincinnati, a few days ago. "Fergit it", said Rud Hynicka the Cox machine boss. And "fergit it" shouted the chorus of party workers. "Pardon me, I was mistaken, I am not a candidate for re-election. My law practice needs me", hastily carrected Mayor Spiegel. And now the old Cox gang, who knew that Spiegel could not be re-elected, are boosting an amiable gent named Puchta and through him expect to continue in charge of city affairs.

Under the election law now in force petitions for candidates at the party primaries must be filed by June 10th with the board of elections. The primary is fixed for sixty days later or on August 10th. Formerly petitions had to be filed in August and the primary was held in September on the first Tuesday after the first Monday. The change in the date of filing petitions accounts for the activity at this time of the various candidates.

Hey, what we want to know is, did anybody get together with our old friend and candidate for mayor, Hon. Nate B. Gilliland, at that there banquet?

PAVING THE WAY.

Residents are circulating a petition, urging that the city at once proceed with the flood wall extension. That is showing progressiveness. The proposed extension was making apparently brave headway towards a beginning when a damper was thrown on it by a grand rush of claims for damages, property to be protected, and assumably benefited by the improvement, soaring like it does in the reports of some of these colossal realty deals and appearing to be altogether hurt by the protection, instead of being given a better value. If property is not to be benefited it would be useless to spend good money for a new flood wall. However, we believe that the greater portion of the people in the affected district are ready to welcome the improvement with open arms and the few who would block the wall by demanding exorbitant prices for their holdings where they stand in the way, should be dealt with in the courts.

"The main question is", said the man who shiveringly dropped into the seat next to us on the street car at 6 a. m. today, "the main question is, not did the G. O. P. factions get any closer together, but did John and Mac and George and Young Doc and the rest of 'em get any closer to the pie counter?"

Brief as were his remarks at the banquet, Saturday night, Lieutenant Governor Jack Arnold, said he would not apologize for the senate. We hardly thought it was as bad as that, but then even the senate wouldn't be guilty of such reckless waste of time as to apologize for Arnold.

A newspaper interviewel the governors of all the states and with unanimous voice they all declared they would stand by the president. Sounds pretty doesn't it, but supposing one should have been indiscreet enough to say he would not stand by the president?

Yes, these be Democratic times, when it is to be noted that not even the imminent threat of war precipitates a panic. Given a president in whom the people have confidence and an honest administration, this government can withstand any shock.

It would be a happy day if we could display the same enthusiasm in keeping out of the fight as the Italians display to get into it.

And troubles come flocking back to us. The Austrians are knocking at the gates of Przemysl.

The German front is crumpled up. Sounds like there was something doing. But this is Thursday; wait until Friday.

"Good Fellows Get Together"

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...Panama Canal—thousands ...quick-acting workmen, and ...g engineers—made thinking ...ewing tobacco while at work.

...non-tobacco chewing men—tried to build ...the strain, their machines "fell down" at ... Our American men tried—men who are ...Canal.

...m-rollers or sky-...'THE THICK,

...you're too late."

"Is that so?"

"Yes, my partner took it himself."

Harry Hershfield, the cartoonist, lives in a small town in Indiana. He was home recently and returned to New York with the following news item clipped from his home town paper:

"Let's forget all them there grown-ups, for they fuss too much," ses he,
An' he grabbed me by the collar, Which was what just suited me.
Nen his eyes began to twinkle—soon a wink he will achieve!—
An' I ses to him, "you bet yer! Bet yer life! I get yer, Steve!"

We was sittin' at the table with the grown-ups havin' lunch
With his high-chair close beside me, an' I sudden got a hunch
'Twould be mighty inter-estin' (For a thoughtful guy I am!)
If when mamma wasn't lookin' I jes' handed him the jam.
So I did it! Yes, I did it! Steve jes' chortled in his glee.
"Jes' watch me decorate my face an' pinafore," said he.
I watched him with a solemn front but laughter in my sleeve.
An' I winked at him, "You bet yer! Bet yer life! I get yer, Steve!"

When Stephen's mother saw her son and saw his jammy plight
She was full of knives and daggers though she tried to be polite.
And she said, "It doesn't matter! One can ne'er expect, I vow,
Plain common sense from poets or from babies anyhow!"
It was awful chilly weather! But Stephen ses to me:
"Don't worry! She'll forget it! She's an all-right me!" ses he.
Such a jolly little fellow thus my feelings to relieve!—

orchestral music makes an exceptionally generous program for the small admission of five cents. "On High Seas" is a two reel, strong powerful drama with a nautical flavor. Then there is a good Keystone comedy entitled "From Patches to Plenty," featuring "Hogan."

Tomorrow's musical numbers, accompanied by picture action will be "When Father Papered the Parlor" and "Then I Laughed." The dramatic feature will be "Minerva's Mission," shown in two reels and, a comedy "Bill Gives A Smoker," featuring Fay Tinker.

"The Master Key" At Arcana Tonight

Talk about your big city shows, see the one Manager Potts has provided for his Arcana patrons this afternoon and tonight. Five big reels of great interest will be shown —five, mark you, and all for the small admission of 5 cents. First and foremost will be the twelfth episode of "The Master Key," that wonderful Western production that has proven to be one of the greatest features ever shown on canvas. In addition to that Manager Potts will show a two-reel comedy drama, entitled, "No. 339—Big U." This is a guaranteed attraction and is full of exciting climaxes. A rib-tickling comedy, entitled "The Wrong Address," will bring the great program to a close. Patrons of the Arcana will be given a rich treat tonight, for the program arranged for them is without a doubt the greatest ever shown in the city for five cents. Remember that the Arcana has been completely remodeled. It is now in elegant shape, being cozy, comfortable and thoroughly sanitary. See the great program for tonight and join the rapidly increasing army of Arcana boosters.

New Sun

The 130 ton gun in the 12 inch turret was ready to hurl an 850 ... —Harry, I don't think I could get any colder.—The Purple Cow.

Getting Ready For War

"Doing any good?"

"Yep; buying up fox terriers for army work."

"Army work?"

"They're great for digging trenches. All you have to do is to line 'em up and holler 'Rats!'" —Kansas City Journal.

Loved to Death

"Do yer love me, 'Erb?"

"Love yer, 'Lize, I should just think I does. Why, if yer ever gives me up I'll murder yer! I can't say more'n that, can I?"

Enlarge the Door

Sidney Hocks became intoxicated Saturday evening and tried to drive his yoke of steers into the post office, but failed on account of the door being too narrow. There have been many other complaints recently on account of the narrowness of the door at the post office.—Hamburg (Pa.) Item.

Well Named

"What's that you call your mule"?

"I call him 'Corporation,'" answered the old negro.

"How did you come to give him such a name?"

"F'm studyin' de animal and readin' de papers, boss. Dat mule gets mo' blame an' abuse dan anythin' else in de township, an' goes ahead havin' on his way jes' de same."—National Monthly.

REMOVAL

The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 6, Bell phone 247. tf

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Italy doesn't place much store by the axiom: He who hesitates is lost.

A town is helped by the money spent in it, not by that sent out of it.

It must be foreordained that we are to meet up with the good old summer days all at once.

The sun is always shining behind the clouds.

Now, let's all be Americans-Americans.

POLLY AND HER PALS

GREAT SCOTT---IS AUNT MAGGIE RIGHT?

The Chesapeake & Ohio has published a very attractive folder giving a full directory of all resorts and boarding houses located on its line, and which also presents attractive scenic views and descriptive matter of the historic mountain and seashore territory. Copies can be had for the asking or will be mailed promptly if you will send a postal card to the C. & O. agent.

adv 18-20-22

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MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. and A. M. will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Work in the Fellowcraft degree.

WANTED

WANTED:—Carpenter wants work by day or contract. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. E. Marshall, 815 10th St. 17tf

WANTED:—Clean cut young man, about 18, experienced, to sell groceries and feed on commission. Call 1716 A. 11tf

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts made by my wife, Mrs. Clara Marcus McCoy, after 20th of May, 1915. Claude McCoy. 20-3

WANTED:—Barber at Smith's shop on Gallia pike, New Boston for Saturday. 20-2

WANTED:—Girl for general housework, 2018 17th. Phone 1332 Y. 20-2

WANTED:—To buy old buildings or old lumber. Phone 778 A. 20-3

WANTED:—Experienced woman for housework, no washing or ironing. Mrs. Andrew Reis, 1406 Lincoln. 20-3

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams Phone 1025 A. 14tf

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Reiniger, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 5tf

NOTICE:—Judson Whitfield cleans all paper clean. Phone 964 Y. 24tf

WANTED—Elderly woman wants position in private family. 1922 19th St. 19-3

WANTED:—Boy for office work. Address applications to Box 303 city, in your own handwriting. No previous experience required. 18-3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Uhl, 1234 4th St. 18-3

WANTED:—Two boarders at 416 Waller. Young men preferred. 18-3

NOTICE:—New Sanitary Barber Shop. Children's hair cutting a specialty. 1671 Grant St. Harry E. Shively. 18tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

FOR SALE:—7 room cottage, centrally located. Phone 304 A before 8 p. m. 17tf

FOR SALE:—Books. History of Civil War, also history of Scioto Valley, 1884. Bargain. 738 4th St. 18-3

FOR SALE:—Cheap 17 foot hydroplane motor boat, used only 3 months. Call phone 1459 B. 11tf

FOR RENT

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FOR TRADE:—3 room house, renting at $9.00 per month. Will trade for larger house and pay difference. Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY.. 19-2

FOR SALE:—Or trade, two seated surrey. Call 1148 8th. St. 18-3

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, price $15.00. Call 718 9th St. 18-3

FOR SALE:—Tent 25x50 ft., complete, almost new. Inquire L. C. Brookhart, 605 Boundary. 18tf

FOR SALE:—Choice 49 ft. lot in Riverview addition, west side, North Waller street, overlooking Sunnyside. Fine view of Ohio and Scioto Valleys, street graded and sidewalks laid. Easy payments. Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY.. 19-2

FOR SALE:—6 room house, 4 room house, 1310 Union, large lot, street assessment paid. $2300.
5 room house, 1413 Spring St. $2250. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408 A. 19-4

FOR SALE:—Upright piano, cheap, 1652 5th. 19-3

FOR SALE:—At a bargain neat hill top cottage, four large rooms, extra large pantry, cellar, large porch, splendid location, $2500 buys it. Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY.. 19-2

FOR SALE—24 fine canary birds, good singers. Call 817 Findlay St. 20-3

FOR SALE:—Mare 8 years old weight 1100 pounds. 907 7th. after 3:30 p. m. 20-2

FOR SALE:—Fine farm near Wheelersburg, 67 acres, all tillable, mostly bottom land, 6 room house and splendid improvements. Also a nice little country home on the new traction line and a fine river bottom farm, 9 miles below Portsmouth. Phone 1499.
H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 20-3

FOR SALE:—An 18 ft. Old Town canoe. Phone 1181 A. 20-3

FOR SALE:—5 passenger touring car; will demonstrate. Phone 1270 X. 20-3

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage with stable. Inquire 1416 Chillicothe St. 20-3

FOR SALE:—Modern house in best residence district of Second St. For particulars as to price, terms and location upon request Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY. 20-1

FOR SALE—7 h. p. Indian motorcycle. 629 Front. 15-6

FOR SALE
80 acre farm four miles from Harrisonville, 20 acres planted in corn, 7 acres in oats, 1 acre potatoes, orchard; all go for $2000 cash.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone 1408 A.

FOR SALE:—7 rooms, bath, on West 5th St.
6 rooms, bath, on Grimes Ave.
5 rooms, bath, 1742 12th.
5 rooms, 1814 Robinson.
5 rooms, bath, 1819 11th.
5 rooms, bath, 1520 Grandview.
5 rooms, bath, on Grandview.
8 rooms on 9th St.
Houses sold on terms to suit you.
H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 19-4

FOR SALE:—No. 1 good cow, gives nothing but milk. C. O. Darragh, Bell phone 36, Fullerton, Ky. 19-3

FOR SALE:—Surrey, single buggy and harness, cheap. Phone 872 A. 19-3

FOR SALE:—Good work horse. Wm. Fenzel, Sciotoville. 19-3

FOR SALE:—65 acre hill farm, out Chillicothe pike less than three miles from town. Three room house, 10 acres cleared, 5 in oats, 1½ acres in growing garden, land faces south, ideal for fruit or poultry, sacrifice price if sold at once. Part cash, balance on time or in trade. Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY.. 19-2

FOR SALE:—40 acres of dandy good garden ground, 1 acre of strawberries, 1½ acres of black raspberries, good 4 room house and barn, plenty of fruit, on pike. Price $1300. Can give possession at once.
7 acres with fair house within 15 minutes walk of street car, on good road. Price $800.
50 acres, 2 miles of Sciotoville, all level, having a nearly new 6 room house, fair barn, plenty of fruit, on pike. Can give possession at once with crop. The price is right.
40 acres, on good road, 12 acres growing wheat, all crops, all farm implements, six room house, plenty of fruit. Price $1800. Immediate possession. Call Bert Brant, Sciotoville exchange No. 28. Sciotoville, O. 20-3

FOR SALE:—Persons wishing to purchase laurel for Decoration Day call 1386 X and leave your order. 20-3

FOR SALE.—Sweet potato plants. Inquire of Walton Bros., 317 2nd. St. or Phone 953. 19-3

FOR SALE:—Horse and grocery wagon. Cheap. 1119 8th. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Baby buggy, 632 3rd. 20-3

FOR SALE:—Two lots in New Boston. Cheap if sold at once. Phone 1433 X. 19.2

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1118 Gallia. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Good stable. Inquire 2017 Robinson avenue in rear. 17-6

FOR RENT—4 room house, water and gas, in rear of 1728 Highland. 19tf

FOR RENT:—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with all conveniences, gas range in kitchen, 1538 11th or Phone 1197 X. 19tf

FOR RENT:—2 rooms with bath. Inquire 617 2nd. 19tf

FOR RENT:—Modern flats, gas and electric lights, bath, reception hall, 40 ft. veranda, best location in central part of city. Save car fare. No flood danger. 720 6th St. See Si Straus, 220 Chillicothe. 18-3

FOR RENT:—3 room flat on Gallia St. Phone 575. James A. Maxwell. 18-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1212 11th. 18-4

FOR RENT:—House at 823 11th, also 417 Court. Inquire 702 9th 11tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 822 Chillicothe St. 19tf

FOR RENT:—2 front rooms furnished for light housekeeping, $4 per week, fine location, 423 Offnere. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Store room, 822 Gallia. Inquire at Lehman's Store. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, bath, modern conveniences. 614 Washington. 10tf

FOR RENT:—3 room flat on Gallia, 3 room cottage on 13th. Phone 575, James A. Maxwell. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 914 8th. 1tf

FOR RENT:—Nice front room, furnished; bath and phone 1120 4th. Phone 510. 13tf

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms. All conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished rooms, 709½ Chillicothe St. 17tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house 111 Glover street. Phone 344 Inquire 1318 2nd. 27- tu th sa tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, 1119 8th. 17-6

FOR RENT:—Three room rear house, gas and water. 522 5th. Phone 738 Y. 17tf

FOR RENT:—7 room house with bath, 501 Clover. Phone 463 A 17tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call 819 Findlay St. 20-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, 716 Washington. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1010 Gallia. 19-3

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, $5 per week. 601 9th or Phone 1524 A 20-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with all conveniences, 724 3rd. Phone 1565 X. 20tf

FOR RENT:—Three unfurnished rooms. Call 818 9th St. 20-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms with board. Phone 1079 X. 20tf

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage. Inquire 1313 9th. 20-3

FOR RENT—4 room house, water and gas, Third and Court.
4 rooms, one-half of double house, Mill and Sinton, water and gas.
5 room flat, 3rd and Washington, water and gas.
3 room flat, 3rd and Washington, water and gas.
4 room cottage 1204 13th, water and gas.
7 room flat, water and gas, 1022 Chillicothe.
4 room flat, 1206 Waller, water, gas.
4 room two story, gas, 712 11th.
13 room house, gas and electricity at Terminals.
44 room hotel, gas, water and electricity at Terminals. Apply H. T. Hutton. 20-3

FOR RENT:—Flat, Elk building. Inquire janitor. 19tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear of 1633 4th. St. Phone 889 B. 18-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping, 925 7th. Phone 1425 Y. 19tf

FOR RENT:—One or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, gas included. Inquire 930 Gallia. 19tf

FOR RENT—Wahrheit residence, 6 rooms, 1014 4th. Phone 407 Adam Pfau. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room with modern conveniences for man and wife. With or without board. 1549 6th. Phone 1666. 18tf

FOR RENT:—For the summer furnished house in fine location. Phone 118. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Six room house, with bath, centrally located. Call 1499.
H. A. BIERLEY. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room in private family with bath. 727 3rd. 15tf

LOST

LOST:—Silver mesh bag on Findlay, 9th, Washington or Chillicothe. Initials inside M. L. A. and E. T. B. Phone 415 A Reward. 1401 Findlay. 19-2

LOST:—Felt doll on 9th between Chillicothe and Washington. Return to 724 9th. 20-3

LOST:—Bill of lading and checking list for L. C. Mootz. Finder please phone 1348 A. 20-2

New York Visitor

J. B. Straus manufacturer of New York city stopped in the city a short time Thursday and visited Si Straus. J. B. Straus was on his way to Columbus from where he will return to his home. Si and the visitor are no relation.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, May 20.—Prices tended downward again at the outset of today's market operations, the only exception being certain of the war specialties which recorded gains of 1 to 3 points.

Standard shares, including the speculative leaders were fractionally lower, while Chesapeake and Ohio and Missouri Pacific were under further pressure in connection with impending developments affecting their future. Secondary quotations were better, the general list showing marked recoveries before the end of the first hour. Trading was relatively light, however, the foreign situation acting as a restraining influence.

Stocks made further recovery from their early declines, particularly the specialties, Bethlehem Steel rising six points while Standard railways, United States Steel and the Coppers shook off their initial heaviness. Later, however, the entire list reacted and grew dull, partly as a result of the increasing weakness in Chesapeake and Ohio and a three point decline in Rock Island. Toward midday the market became very dull, traders deeming it most advisable to await advices from abroad before engaging in fresh commitments. Bonds were heavy with one to two point declines in Rock Island and Missouri Pacific underlying issues.

A sudden advance of 3 points in Missouri Pacific, followed by an equally abrupt decline of 2¼ was the only feature of the late trading. The closing was steady.

Uncertainty, based largely on the foreign situation was the dominant characteristic of today's market. Trading was a trifle more active but lacked public interest.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 65⅝.
American Beet Sugar 44½.
American Can 33½.
American Car & Foundry 51¼.
American Cotton Oil 45.
Amer. Smelting & Refining 65½
American Sugar Refining 106.
American Tel. & Tel. 118¾.
Anaconda Mining Co 31½.
Atchison 98⅝.
Baltimore & Ohio 72¼.
Bethlehem Steel 139.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 86¾.
California Petroleum 14¼.
Canadian Pacific 168⅛.
Central Leather 36.
Chesapeake & Ohio 40⅛.
Chino Copper 42¾.
Chicago & North Western 124.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 89.
Denver & Rio Grande 7.
Erie 25⅛.
General Electric 150.
Goodrich Co 42.
Great Northern pfd 117¼.
Illinois Central 105.
Interborough-Met 20⅜.
Inter. Harvester 91½.
Lehigh Valley 141.
Louisville & Nashville 115½.
Maxwell Motor Co 1st pfd 81⅜
Mexican Petroleum 68.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 12½.
Missouri Pacific 13¼.
National Lead 56⅛.
New York Central 85.
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford 62⅛ B.
Norfolk & Western 102.
Northern Pacific 105.
Pennsylvania 107.
Ray Consolidated 22⅝.
Reading 143.
Republic Iron & Steel 26½.
Southern Pacific 87¼.
Southern Railway 16¼.
Studebaker Co 64 Ex Div.
Texas Co 123.
Tennessee Copper 33¾.
Union Pacific 124½.
United States Rubber 52⅛.
United States Steel 52⅞.
United States Steel pfd 105⅛.
Utah Copper 64⅜.
Western Union 66½.
Western Union 66½.
Westinghouse Electric 89½.
C. R. I. and Pac. 20⅛.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, May 20—Fear of black rust tended today to an upturn in prices for wheat. Excessive moisture, especially in Kansas, resulted in advices that the conditions for the plague were distant only a step. Bullish crop reports from Indiana tended also to cause an advance, and so too did the steadiness of cables. Opening prices which varied from ¼ off to ⅞up, were followed by decided gains all around and then a moderate re-action.

Corn values hardened in sympathy with the action of wheat and owing to less favorable weather. Besides, cables were firm. After opening a shade to ⅜ higher, the market continued to rise.

Oats reflected the strength of other cereals. Traders though, were well divided as between the buying and selling sides firmness of grain and hogs affected provisions. Advances, however, were slight.

Additional strength in wheat showed itself later but was checked by the imminence of Italy's entrance in war with Austria. The close was unsettled at ½ to ¾c net advance.

Somewhat improved eastern demand helped later to prevent any material set back in corn. The close was steady at ⅛ and ¼ to ½ above last night.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May, $1.51½; July, $1.26; Sept., $1.23¾.

Corn: May, 72⅞c; July, 75½c; Sept., 76⅝c.

Oats: May, 51¼c; July, 51⅛c; Sept., 45⅜c.

CLOSING PRICES

Wheat: May $1.52½; July $1.26⅛.

Corn: May 73⅛c; July 75½c.

Oats: May 51½c; July 50⅛c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork: July $18.22; Sept. $18.55.

Lard: July $9.75; Sept. $10.00.

Ribs: July $10.60; Sept. $10.85.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, Ohio, May 20.—Wheat—Cash and May $1.54; July $1.25½.

Corn—Cash 76c; May 76½c; July 77½c.

Oats—Cash 54¼c; May 53¾c; July 52⅛c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.14.

Cloverseed—Prime cash $7.85; Oct. $8.32½.

Alsike—Prime cash $7.95.

Timothy—Prime cash $2.72½; Sept. $3.00.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 20.—Hogs—Receipts 23,000, slow; bulk $7.45@7.60; light $7.35@7.65; mixed $7.30@7.62½; heavy $7.10@7.55; rough $7.10@7.20; pigs $6.00@7.40.

Cattle—Receipts 3,000, weak. Native beef steers $6.90@9.25; western steers $6.10@7.90; cows and heifers $3.25@8.75; calves $6.50@9.25.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000, easier; sheep $7.70@8.60; lambs $7.75@10.10.

PITTSBURG

Pittsburgh, May 20—Hogs—Receipts 1800, active; heavy and heavy yorkers $7.90@7.95; light yorkers $7.80@7.85; pigs $7.40@7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,200; steady. Top sheep $7.75; top lambs $10.25.

Calves—Receipts 300, steady; top $9.50.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 20—Cattle; receipts 100; market, steady. Calves receipts, 150; market steady. Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,000; market, steady.

Hogs: receipts, 4,000; steady; mediums, yorkers and lights, $7.65; pigs, $7.50; roughs, $6.25; stags, $5.25.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, May 20—Hogs: receipts, 3200; steady; packers and butchers, $7.60 to $7.75; common to choice, $5.50 to $7.20; stags, $4.50 to $5.85.

Cattle: receipts, 700; steady; calves, steady.

Sheep: receipts, 1900; strong, $5.00 to $7.00; lambs, strong, $6.50 to $1200.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 20—Cattle: receipts, 60; slow.

Veal: receipts, 200; active; $4.50 to $9.50.

Hogs: receipts, 5300; fairly active; heavy and mixed, $7.85 to $7.90; yorkers, $7.65 to $7.90; pigs, $7.50 to $7.65; roughs, $6.50 to $6.65; stags, $5.00 to $5.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,260; active and unchanged.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill., May 20—Butter: unchanged.

Eggs: lower; receipts, 17,037 cases; at mark. cases included 17c to 18c; ordinary firsts, 16c to 17c; firsts, 17½c to 18c.

Potatoes: lower; receipts, 28 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin Red, 35c to 38c; do white, 38c to 43c.

Poultry: alive unchanged.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 20—Poultry: live fowls, 16½ to 17c; spring broilers, ½ to 1¾ pounds 34c to 36c. All other markets unchanged.

SUGAR

New York, May 20—Raw sugar, firm; centrifugal, 4.83c; molasses, 4.06c; refined, steady. Sugar futures advanced 1 to 5 points early on buying prompted by the firm spot market.

MONEY

New York, May 20—Call money steady; high 2; low 1¾; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1¾; offered 2.

COTTON

New York, May 20—Cotton futures closed firm, May, 9.38c; July, 9.58c; Oct., 9.94c; Dec., 10.17c; Jan., 10.21c.

COFFEE

New York, May 20—Coffee Rio No. 7, 7¼c; futures steady; July, 6.49c; Sept., 6.56c.

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REV. BRIDWELL CHOSEN

Rev. Morris Bridwell pastor of the New Boston Baptist church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the New Boston high school graduates at the New Boston Baptist church Sunday evening May 30. Superintendent S. D. Eckhart announced Thursday that it had been decided after several days' discussion to have Rev. Bridwell deliver the sermon. The commencement exercises will be held at the Millbrook Casino June 1.

MAD CAT ATTACKS BOY

A supposed mad cat scratched Harold Jones three year old son of Frank Jones of 1910 Eighth street Thursday afternoon when the little tot picked the cat up. The cat was never seen in the neighborhood before and its strange actions attracted the attention of Mrs. Charles Schuler of 1921 Eighth. She attempted to drive the feline away with a broom but the cat jumped at the broom and she let it alone. A call was sent in for police and Officer Roy Moore hurried to the scene and dispatched the feline's nine lives with six shots.

CLASS PLAY

Hacquard's hall at Wheelersburg was packed Wednesday evening, when the Wheelersburg graduates presented their class play, "What's In a Name?" The play is a comedy farce and the large audience was in acontinuous uproar. Much credit is due Miss Katherine Dawson for the success of the play, as she directed the students in their difficult parts. The play will be given again this evening (Thursday) promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

A chorus composed of thirty pupils of the other three high school classes sang between the different acts and received encore after encore. Miss Gertrude Schmidt, of this city, is teacher of music in the Wheelersburg schools, and she had the chorus under her direction. Piano music was furnished by Miss Bess Reinecki. The stars of the evening were McKinley Sauer, as Algernon Moncriof, and Miss Evelyn Hunsinger as Gwendolyn Fairfax. John Onkes and Miss Nell Griver will take these parts tonight. There will be several other slight changes in the cast at the second performance. A large number were present from Portsmouth, South Webster and Sciotoville.

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Chillicothe Visitor.

Willard Swartzfaugh, district superintendent of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, with headquarters at Chillicothe, was a visitor at the local offices of the company Thursday.

FOR SALE

Tuesday, June 1st, 1915, 2 p. m.

Fullerton canning factory, lot and building. Lot 40x125. Building 39x80. New 30 horse power boiler, 15 horse power engine and all fixtures. A complete canning outfit. Everything new. Will be sold to suit purchaser. Lot and building without machinery, or all together. One pair Fairbank wagon scales, 6 ton, building located a long side of C. & O. switch. An ideal location for a feed store, something badly needed in Fullerton. Terms: 6 months with bond and good security or 2 per cent off for cash.

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Florida

The thirteenth biennial report of the commissioner of agriculture states that in the winter of 1913-1914 Palm Beach county had 1,633 acres in tomatoes with a value of $2,265,618, an average of more than $1,365 per acre; 911 acres in beans, value $756,460, an average of $830.00 per acre. For information on winter vegetables and citrus fruit land in Palm Beach county write or call E. F. Moss at 833 Second Street, Phone 553, Portsmouth, O.

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HORRORS OF WAR TOLD IN LETTER FROM BATTLE ZONE

Local Woman Gets Word Of The Fates Of Several Relatives

Mrs. Sophia Dauwel, 923 Sixth street, has relatives in the war zone who are undergoing the hardships of warfare. She received a letter Wednesday from a sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Dauwel from Rhein-Pfalz, Germany. The letter contained sad news and describes plainly how the able men folks of Germany have hurried off to fight for their Fatherland.

A son-in-law of a sister of the local woman was killed while in France. Another son-in-law of Mrs. Dauwel's sister has received the Iron Cross and a sword and Iron Cross for his acts of bravery. He has had three horses shot from under him but so far had escaped injury. He has also been promoted to an officer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dauwel has given her four sons, nephews of the local Mrs. Dauwel, to the German army. The letter says that one of the young men had an eye shot out. Another was shot three times but not fatally and has been a prisoner of the French in France since the first of last October. A third son who has been at the front in the trenches since last October writes home to his mother that he does not expect to ever return home as the fighting is fierce but that the Germans are holding their own. The fourth son left for the front just three weeks ago. He is only

eighteen years of age but was more than willing to march away to fight for his Fatherland.

The letter says that the places of the men in the fields and factories are being well filled by the women who are doing well their part in the great conflict. Only the aged men and women and young children are to be found in most of the cities and villages. Rhein-Pfalz is not far from the French boundary line but so far the place has escaped invasion. The place is not as large as Protsmouth.

Mrs. Sophia Dauwel first came from Rhein-Pfalz to this country in 1882 and paid a visit to her old home in 1900. "It is a beautiful place," says Mrs. Dauwel. "I expect to visit the place again after the war is over, if I am able," said Mrs. Dauwel, Wednesday.

Delivers Cars.

Maxwell touring cars were delivered Thursday to William Ross, a Scioto ville liveryman, and to D. O. Tipton, an Eighth street procur.

Mr. Kricker Named.

Formal appointment of George E. Kricker, of this city, as administrator of the estate of the late Harry B. Green, was made in probate court this morning. The estate is listed at $500 personal property and $4,000 real estate. Mr. Kricker furnished bond in the sum of $5,000.

Union Has Meeting

The Street Railway Employees held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. A number of new men have been put to work on the extra list and several of them will be taken into the union at the next meeting. Mr. Evans, of the Pettibone Manufacturing Company, of Cincinnati, was present and the greater part of the evening was spent in discussing what kind of new uniforms will be purchased. Measurements are taken of all men wanting new uniforms and they can order them at any time.

NEW BOSTON

Alexander Baldwin of Ashland, Ky., is a guest at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin, of West Grace street.

Mrs. George Fellers, of Stockdale is the guest of Mrs. George Simkins of Gallia pike.

"Grandpa" Andy Wolfe remains in a dangerous condition at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nancy Hull on East Rhodes avenue.

The expected has happened. Charlie Dixon popular councilman and steel worker is circulating his petition for re-election as councilman. He is one of the village's prominent Republicans.

John Lynn, of the city water works force, was busy Thursday making a list of all properties already piped and fitted with water.

Louie Smith who left the village suddenly several days ago without informing anyone of his destination, has been heard from. He is working at Marion, O.

James Mingess who had his arm broken at the Breece plant about a week ago is getting along nicely.

William Craft of Ashland, Ky., is the guest of friends and relatives in Lakeside.

John P. Metzger, steel worker, has returned from a several days' visit in Jackson.

Dr. T. H. McCann and wife of Waverly motored to the village Wednesday. They are having the former Nancy Elhoff home put in shape and they will move here from Waverly within the next few weeks. Dr. McCann brought a number of fine chickens with him Wednesday and turned them loose on the Elhoff property. Dr. McCann expects to sell his home in Waverly.

Mrs. Thurman Emory of Gallia pike was the Wednesday guest of her sister Mrs. John Henning of Stewartsville.

Mrs. A. Drake is confined to her home with a slight illness.

Mrs. Louis Leslie of Stewartsville is convalescing from a slight illness.

Birch Hunt conducted the prayer service at the Christian church Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church held an all day's meeting in the basement of the church Thursday.

The members of the Boys' band of the steel plant are selling a great number of tickets for their concert and the Kiegler-Busch wrestling match which is to take place at the Casino Saturday evening. Several new members have joined the band in the last few weeks and by Korn Karnival time the band will be able to boast of 36 pieces.

The police received a hurry call Wednesday night from Mrs. John Pollard of Rhodes avenue and Center street that several foreigners were following a woman and uttering insulting remarks, but when Officers Marc Allen and Ray Brawn arrived on the scene all trace of the law breakers had vanished.

The five hundred feet of hose recently purchased by council from the Chicago Fire Hose company was tested Wednesday afternoon.

John Wolf has announced himself as a candidate for council on the Republican ticket.

Phil Lust, of Troy, O., who is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Emory has secured employment at the Heer Engine plant.

The W. O. W. Circle will meet in Davis hall in semi-monthly session Saturday evening.

The players of the Cub ball team expect to realize a neat sum from the benefit show they are to give at the Davis theatre Friday evening. A number of tickets have already been sold. A sample uniform like the boys are going to purchase arrived Thursday. The suits will be gray with a blue stripe.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church met in regular weekly session Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Allen B. Griffin on Ohio avenue.

Contractors Watkins and Phillips have completed about one third of the work of putting in service connections. Tom Watkins who has been doing most of the plumbing work has added Will Kline and Joe Briggs to the force and the work of putting in the services will be pushed to a

They are working in the alley between Vine and Ohio avenues.

Officer Ike Wells who is working in Marshal Will I. Davis' place received word from "Bill" Wednesday that he had landed a fourteen pound fish while casting his line in Tygart Creek. Davis is enjoying a week's vacation.

Aloins Haus, tailor of West Gallia pike got out a writ of replevin before Squire Will McManes Wednesday for the recovery of one sewing machine, one gasoline stove, table, iron, box samples, pair of partly made pants three pairs shears and a box of coat buttons supposed to have been in the possession of Harless Bros., tailors of Gallia pike. Constable C. O. Davis got the goods named in the writ of replevin from Harless Bros., Thursday morning and their ownership will be established in McManes' court Monday morning at nine o'clock.

Stanley Porter was arrested by Officers Brown and Allen about 10:30 Wednesday evening on a drunk and disorderly charge. He tried to wreck the jail after locked up. An iron pipe railing about the stove and the large coal stove were torn down and the officers are sure he was going to try and make an escape through the roof like his brother John Porter did very successfully several weeks ago. He was locked in a cell for safekeeping and remained there Thursday.

Barden Visitor.

W. H. Raistin, prominent resident of Barden, was a business visitor in Portsmouth today.

FRIDAY SPECIALS

2½ bu. bag Potatoes	$1.45
50 lb. can pure Hog Lard	$5.25
1 sack Tip Top Flour	98c
1 sack Blue Ribbon Flour	$1.05
1 bushel Corn Meal	98c
1 lb. Smoked Bacon by the side for	16c
2 cans Sweet Brier Corn	25c
3 cans Prize Peas, extra fine	25c
1 lb. Pickeled Pork	10c
1 lb. Sugar Cured Ham	12½c
2 qts. Strawberries	25c
5 bunches Green Onions	10c

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CALLED SPY, KILLS SELF

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mony to the fairness of his trial. He confessed he was a soldier, said he wished to die as a soldier and declared he could not bear to mount the scaffold as a spy.

When court opened this morning for the resumption of the trial, the attorney general, Lord Reading, announced the death of the prisoner to the judges.

"Since the rise of this court last night," the attorney general said, "this man Kuepferele has committed suicide in Brixton prison. He was in a special observation cell under practically continuous observation, but during a short interval he seized the opportunity of taking his own life."

Chief Warden Cook, who is in charge of the prison, has testified that last night the night patrol officer, a warden named Perry came to him and said, "I cannot see the prisoner." Warden Cook immediately arose and opening the cell door he found the prisoner hanging by the neck from a ventilator in a corner behind a door. He had used a silk scraf to commit suicide and he was hanging clear of the floor. Warden Cook cut the scraf and summoned the prison doctor. The man's body was still warm but he could not be revived.

Warden Cook produced the slate on which the prisoner had written his message. His communication follows:

"To whom it may concern:

"My name is Kuepferele and I was born in Rastatt in Baden. I am a soldier with a rank I do not desire to mention. I can say I have had a fair trial in the United Kingdom but I am unable longer to stand the strain and I take the law in my own hands. I have fought many a battle, and death is the only savior for me. I would prefer death by shooting; but I did not wish to ascend the scaffold as (here the prisoner drew a Masonic sign) and I hope the almighty architect of this universe will lead me in the unknown land.

"I am not dying as a spy, but as a soldier. I stood my fate as a man, but I cannot be a liar and perjure myself. I ask you kindly that my uncle, Ambrose Droll of Rastatt be notified of my death. I desire that all my estate go to him. What I have done was for my country. I express my thanks and may the Lord bless you all. Yours, etc. "KUEPFERELE."

On the outside of the slate the man had written: "I was born June 11, 1883."

MUST TEACH IN NORMAL

Formal request to the district superintendents to act as instructors in the Wheelersburg normal school, which opens next Monday, was made by the county board of education in special session Thursday afternoon at the office of E. O. McCowen, the county superintendent. The law provides that the district superintendents shall perform this service without extra compensation, but also provides that the request must come from the county board.

CLEAN UP "DISTRICT"

The police say they are fast succeeding in clearing the red-light district of all undesirables and it now presents a deserted appearance.

Adelaide Brown, an old offender, is still there because she owns her own property, but Special Officer Osborn Thursday notified a young girl from Dayton, whom he found visiting there, that she must leave at once. Lenora Dunham was also ordered to leave the Ellie Gordley

FITZHUGH LEE TO LEAVE SUN

The many friends of Fitzhugh Lee, who for several seasons has been manager of the Sun theatre, will be sorry to learn that he will sever his connection with the theater after next Wednesday. Mr. Lee, however, will remain in Portsmouth, according to present plans, and he is now investigating several propositions with a view to engaging in business here.

A new manager will assume charge of the Sun next fall.

Mr. Lee is a courteous gentleman and made a splendid manager. He was popular with the theatrical world and Sun patrons will miss him and Mrs. Lee who had charge of the box office.

Assessors Report.

Two more deputy assessors completed their labors Wednesday and submitted their detailed reports to the district assessor, F. B. M. Corson, Thursday morning. They are Walter B. Wharff, of Rarden, and Herman H. Hansgen, of Porter township. The clerks in the office of the district assessor will be kept busy for several weeks transcribing the returns.

ARTISTS IN MUSICALE

In addition to Miss Marting and Mrs. Wickerham who are to take part in the Central Presbyterian musical Tuesday evening May 25 you will be privileged to hear Mrs. George Matthews, Mrs. Harry Bugh and Mr. J. Adam Burkel. Keep posted. Read Friday's announcement.

In Cincinnati.

M. A. Coe, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, is in Cincinnati on a short business trip.

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ITALY MAKES DEMANDS

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sations. Count Von Berchtold replied that his opinion did not agree with this view, but on December 20 intimated that he had begun to change his mind.

Baron Burian, who had succeeded Count von Berchtold, tried to evade any definite expression of opinion. The Duke of Avarna, on February 22, telegraphed that Austria evidently was trying to gain time but that she was undoubtedly being pressed by Germany. On March 9 Austria consented to discuss compensations. Foreign Minister Sonnino laid bare the cardinal points of the Italian demands. Baron Burian answered that Austria would not accept. Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador in Rome, on March 20, in the name of Germany, guaranteed the execution, after the conclusion of peace, of any demands on Austria. Signor Sonnino agreed to resume negotiations on the condition that Vienna would make concrete proposals.

Seven days later Baron Burian asked Italy to give formal agreement to the following clauses:

First—The maintenance of benevolent political and economic neutrality throughout the war.

Second—Austria to have a free hand in the Balkans.

Third—The renuncination on the part of Italy of any further compensation.

Fourth—The maintenance of the existing Italo-Austrian accord concerning Albania.

On April 2 Baron Burian added that in exchange for these pledges, Austria would give to Italy the districts of Ravereda, Riva and Trentino as well as a few villages. Signor Sonnino said he considered the demands contemptible. Nevertheless they were permitted to stand.

The rumors of a separate Austro-Russian peace persisting, Rome asked Vienna for a definite answer. In reply Vienna added a small zone in the Province of Trent to the Italian compensation.

On April 25 the Duke of Avarna reported that the Austrian government did not believe Italy would ever make war and consequently Vienna regarded a continuance of the discussion as useless.

On receipt of this report Signor Sonnino, considering any accord impossible, denounced the alliance with Austria-Hungary.

He said last summer Austria-Hungary, without reaching any agreement with Italy and without giving Italy any notice whatever, even disdaining the advice of Italy that moderation be observed, had sent to Serbia on July 23 an ultimatum which was the cause of the present conflagration. Thus Austria Hungary had disturbed the status quo in the Balkans creating a situation which was of advantage to herself alone. Such a course of violence made benevolent neutrality impossible for the reason that Austria Hungary was fighting to attain an object diametrically opposed to the vital interests of Italy, her ally.

Nevertheless, for a period of several months, Italy endeavored to bring about a situation favorable to the re-establishment of friendly relations between the two countries, but these negotiations brought no practical results. Consequently the alliance was denounced by the Duke of Avarana on May 4.

The Duke on this occasion said Italy was confident of her rights and he affirmed to the Austro-Hungarian government "that from this moment Italy claims entire liberty of actions declaring that her treaty with Austria Hungary is hereby annulled and without effect."

Rome, May 20 (Via Paris)—Unless plans of prominent deputies miscarry the only speaker at the session of the chamber tomorrow after the communication is received, will be Signor Barzilai, a Republican deputy, who will plead for the liberation of Triest, his native city, from Austrian rule.

It was learned today the council of ministers at the prolonged session last night unanimously rejected eleventh hour proposals made by Austria for prolonging the negotiations regarding the cessation of territory. It is believed in official circles here that these proposals were prompted by ignorance and in Berlin the determination of the king cabinet and parliament to obtain all the territory demanded by Italy.

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Odle Freed Of One Charge, Now Held For Friendship Robbery

Failure on the part of the state in the opinion of the court, to establish the guilt of the accused, resulted in a verdict in common pleas court today of not guilty in the case of Edward Odle, charged with burglarizing Dan Labold's junk shop last Christmas Day. At the conclusion of the state's examination of witnesses, Judge Thomas wrested the case from the jury and directed a verdict for the defendant.

The court held that the evidence was not sufficient to warrant probable guilt on the part of the accused. Mr. Labold, in his testimony, stated that his place had been entered and he identified the stolen goods as his property, the goods being recovered later at Quasser's junk shop. Mr. Quasser testified that Odle had questioned him about the price of brass, but added that he was not the man who sold the stolen goods to him. No other evidence or a damaging nature was offered by the state.

Odle left town before an indictment was returned against him, and was absent from the city several weeks. About three weeks ago he was apprehended at Maysville and held for the local authorities. He has been in the county jail ever since.

Odle was represented at the trial by Attorney Aronhold Schapiro, assisted by A. Z. Blair, and Prosecuting Attorney Micklethwait represented the state.

Soon after his acquittal Sheriff Smith filed an affidavit in Squire Byron's court, charging Odle with the burglary of the Schaefer store at Friendship on the night of April 8, and he is now being held on that charge. The time of his preliminary hearing has not been definitely assigned, but it will probably be Friday.

Local authorities have suspected Odle of being connected with the Schaefer robbery for some time, but they have made no attempt to file formal charges against him because of the previous charge against him. Search is being made for two alleged accomplices who are said to have assisted in the Friendship job.

A Message To Thin, Weak, Scrawny Folks

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What is needed is a means of gently urging the assimilative functions of the stomach and intestines to absorb the oils and fats and hand them over to the blood, where they may reach the starved, shrunken, run-down tissues and build them up. The thin person's body is like a dry sponge—eager and hungry for the fatty materials of which it is being deprived by the failure of the alimentary canal to take them from the food. The best way to overcome this sinful waste of flesh-building elements and to stop the leakage of fats is to use Sargol, the recently discovered reconstructive force that is recommended so highly by physicians here and abroad. Take a little Sargol tablet with every meal and notice how quickly your checks fill out and rolls of firm, healthy flesh are deposited over your body, covering each bony angle and projecting point. Fisher & Strelch and other good druggists have Sargol, or can get it from their wholesaler, and will refund your money if you are not satisfied with the gain in weight it produces as stated on the guarantee in each package. It is inexpensive, easy to take and highly efficient.

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TERMINALS

Slight changes are being made in the underground telephone system in front of the Y. M. C. A.

Will J. Bruch, chief clerk to Assistant Superintendent H. T. Reinicker was in Roanoke, Va., on N. & W. business, Wednesday.

A number of car loads of fine washed gravel are being used to fill along the N. & W. main tracks from Lincoln street to the passenger depot.

J. D. McNamara, local N. & W. roadmaster, in company with a Mr. Lemoyne from Roanoke, Va., went over some land belonging to the N. & W. at Scioteville on Thursday which Lemoyne expects to lease.

J. T. Carey, Scioto division superintendent, was in Cincinnati on business Wednesday.

C. F. Losh, N. & W. assistant engineer, was a business visitor in Cincinnati, Wednesday.

F. E. Durham, N. & W. cashier at Norwood, Cincinnati, entered upon his duties as cashier for the N. & W. at Ashland, Ky., Thursday. He is filling the place of James R. Gainey, who is on a 30 days' vacation.

E. F. Rideout, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in company with various ministers is holding shop meetings in the different N. & W. shops each day. Secretary Rideout has been taking care of the religious meetings at the institution since the departure of Rev. F. B. Osborne, who is filling the pulpit of the M. E. church at Piketon. Rev. Osborne has written to his local friends saying that he could not have struck a better place and that he is doing a splendid work.

N. & W. carpenters completed the work of building a bicycle shed near the division offices Thursday. The majority of the clerks have purchased bicycles since Gallia pike has been paved and they have not had a place to keep their wheels until the shed was built. Since the paving of the pike several of the clerks have ridden to and from work every day, regardless of rain.

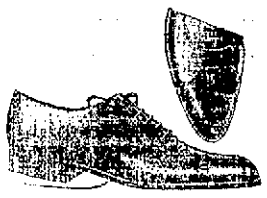
W. J. Frazier, N. & W. traveling auditor with headquarters in this city, was in Cincinnati on business Wednesday.

Rev. A. B. Johnson, of the Scioto ville M. E. church, will have charge of the prayer service at the Tabernacle Thursday evening at the usual hour.

J. S. May, N. & W. brakeman of 1527 Grandview avenue, who had his right knee badly sprained Tuesday when an air hose burst at Nolan, W. Va., is laid up at his home. He expects to be able to resume work in a couple of weeks. He came home from Williamson, W. Va., Tuesday evening on No. 17.

Sun Theatre
MAY 25-26

Prices: Night 25, 35, 50c
Seats at Sun Theatre
Starting Monday 10 a. m.


SIMPLICITY IS THE KEYNOTE
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The Sleepless Shoeman
845 GALLIA

Stranded In The City

Mrs. Lula Pyles, widow of the late Constable Abner Pyles, and who since last March has been living in Williamson, W. Va., is stranded here.

Mrs. Pyles had come here to collect some accounts she claimed were due her on the sale of house furnishings and had hoped thereby to realize enough money to pay her railroad fare back to Williamson but in this she was disappointed. She was able to buy a ticket only as far as Coalgrove she expecting to cross there into Ashland, Ky., where she also has some goods stored. She was given dinner at police headquarters and may be provided with a pass. The woman sobbed as she recalled that relatives here who owed her money could have prevented her present plight.

First quality work at reasonable prices, Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

Mrs. Grace Oldfield, of Seventh street, received a letter Wednesday from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford, who left here three years ago for Orlando, Florida, for his health. He is not showing much improvement.

MOTHER OF 12 CHILDREN IS SEEKING A DIVORCE

Attorneys Blair and Kimble representing Verma D. Burk, of Wheelersburg, filed an amended and supplemental petition in her suit for divorce against her husband, Charles W. Burk, the original of which was filed several weeks ago. Habitual drunkenness for the past ten years, desertion, gross neglect of duty, and extreme cruelty are cited as the grounds for the action.

According to the wife, Burk had murderous designs against her and her children, she alleging that on one occasion he said that "nothing would do him more good than to take a club and kill a half dozen of them." She also charges that on last Monday he picked up a skillet and attempted to hit one of the children with it. Other acts of alleged cruelty and abuse are cited in the petition.

Mrs. Burk complains that her husband abandoned her and the children last April, which led to the filing of her divorce petition some time ago. On March last she says he came back and promised to be a good husband, inducing her to drop the divorce action. Later, she says, he went back to his old ways which she claims is unbearable.

She seeks a divorce, alimony and custody of the children. An injunction restraining Burk from disposing of his property in Wheelersburg or encumbering it was granted by the court. The couple were married November 3rd 1886 and have twelve children, ranging in age from 2 to 27 years.

Row Over Sidewalk

A controversy has arisen over a new sidewalk J. I. Marsh is putting down in front of his property at the southwest corner of Fourth and Glover streets. A complaint was made that the sidewalk would not conform with other sidewalks in the neighborhood.

Mr. Marsh stated today that a six foot cement strip is being put down and as soon as it had dried and he could roll some lumber on it, the additional four feet would be put down, making the sidewalk 10 feet in width, the same as others in that vicinity. Mayor Frick inspected the sidewalk Tuesday and he says that Mr. Marsh assured him that as soon as the six foot strip had hardened so that lumber could be placed on it the additional four foot strip would be put down.

The manufacturers of Golden Sun Coffee control the coffee plantations and guarantee a uniform quality—a rarity. Ask your grocer.

Attention! Vienna Camp

All members of Vienna Camp No. 26, Sons of Veterans, are earnestly urged to report at Fifth and Market streets Friday evening, May 21, at 7 o'clock, to take part in the parade to the patriotic services at the high school.

GEO. S. CARROLL, Sec.
JOHN SKELTON, Com.

Bitten By Dog

Thomas, the young son of Chas. Cole of Bond street, was bitten in the leg by a pet dog belonging to a neighbor Wednesday. The wound was cauterized by a physician at once and no serious results are anticipated.

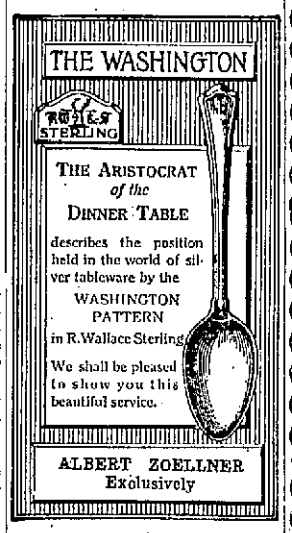
COMPROMISE EFFECTED

A jury in common pleas court this morning returned a compromise verdict of $125 for the plaintiff in the $1000 damage case of Rufus Wilson, Jr., by Simpson Wilson, his next friend, against Eugene Hacquard of Scioto ville. Attorneys for the principals effected a settlement out of court.

It was alleged in the plaintiff's petition that Hacquard assaulted him and inflicted personal injuries on December 1, 1914, for which a balm of $1000 was asked. Hacquard, in his answer, admitted that the altercation took place but denied that the injuries were as serious as enumerated in the petition. Moulton and Dachler represented the plaintiff and Bannon and Bannon the defendant.

FINAL PLANS

Final arrangements for its part in the big patriotic meeting at the high school Friday evening will be made at the weekly meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. this evening. On next Thursday evening the Council will observe the sixty-second anniversary of the founding of the order with impressive ceremonies.



DARKEN GRAY HAIR, LOOK YOUNG, PRETTY

Grandma's recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur darkens so naturally that nobody can tell.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is musty and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.

SOCIETY

Charles Freund, for 27 years a resident of Chicago, has come to Portsmouth and in the future will make his home with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Freund, of Gallia and Offnere streets.

A marriage license was issued at noon today to Lawrence Vernon Black, machinist at the steel plant, and Miss Evelyn Marguerite Garrison, teacher of the second grade at the Campbell avenue school building. They are to be married this evening by Rev. Charles Oakley, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Virginia E. Garrison, of 1532 Fourth street.

Under the auspices of the Ketchum Auxiliary of the Second Presbyterian church, Miss Nell Steele, a district nurse of Columbus, will give a talk next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Albert Murting, on Eighth street, where anyone interested will be welcome. Miss Steele recently returned from Servia, where she spent six months in Red Cross work. Her talk will be along the lines of her work there and in Columbus.

Mrs. William Cramer will entertain Friday afternoon with an anti-Tuberculosis Fresh Air Camp benefit from 2 until 4 o'clock, at her home on Glover street.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Mandy church held a business and social meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Jordan, 1061 Eleventh street. There were twenty-one members and several visitors present. The program was given as follows:

Reading, "The Jessie Lee Home," Mrs. W. T. Gilliland.

Reading, "The Story of the Indian"—Mrs. Kenton Parker.

A review of the 5th chapter of the text book, "In Red Man's Land"—Mrs. E. F. Rideout.

Mrs. Kidd, of Bristol, Tenn., gave a very interesting talk of the work in her home town, where she is district recording secretary. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert Reiser, corner of Eighteenth and Offnere streets.

Yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Industrial Dames was postponed indefinitely.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. George Eisnaugle gave a young people's party as a surprise to their son, Walter Eisnaugle, to celebrate his seventeenth birthday anniversary. Games and music were followed by refreshments. Those present were: Misses Virginia Cryer, Hazel Jones, Carrie Swearingen, Mildred Goodman, Adeline Bodmer, Mildred Byron, Jessie Eisnaugle, Bertha Eisnaugle, Messrs. Cary Williams, Dennis Perkinson, Gordon Cox, Arthur Young, Alan Jones, Charles Debo, Walter Eisnaugle. The young host received many useful and pretty gifts.

Mrs. Arthur Gunther's sister, Miss Ellen Cotrell, of Richmond, Va., is coming Sunday to visit at the Gunther home.

Mesdames B. G. Harris, E. H. Hammer and J. F. Morris will entertain with a social whirl Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harris 1409 Offnere street, where they will entertain thirty women for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp.

New Soda Jerker

Richard Boyce has accepted a position as soda fountain clerk at Wurster's Pharmacy, succeeding Ralph Spriggs, who will leave the firm's employ Saturday night.

Our Advice Is:
When you feel out of sorts from constipation, let us say that if Rexall Orderlies do not relieve you, see a physician, because no other home remedy will. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Wurster Bros.

Week End Values at MARTING'S!
Waists, Suits, Dresses, Coats and Millinery at Little Prices on Friday and Saturday. Don't delay. Come and get a share.

SPECIAL PRICES on Panama Hats!
for Women, Misses and Children this week. Come and see them. Price: $1.50, $2, $2.25 and $2.50 each.
You can easily see that they are worth more than these prices.
New styles in Leghorn shapes just received.
Price $1.50 to $3.75
Black and White Shapes At 95c Each
Come and see these bargains.
Trimmed Hats in Black and White styles. Your choice for only $3.50

Just 45 Tailored Suits Here!
Forty-five distinct styles to fit just 45 women with a good suit at a very little price. We have divided these suits into two assortments and offer them for Friday and Saturday at less than half.
Lot No. 1 contains all Tailored Suits that formerly sold at $18.00 to $25.00 for only $9.75
Just 16 in this assortment.
Lot No. 2 contains 29 high-grade Tailored Suits in Wool or Silk that are worth $25 to $42.50 for only $19.75

Bhildren's Coats Ages 6 to 14 Yeas
HALF PRICE
Come and get your child a stylish coat at a little price. The assortment is good for Friday and Saturday selling. Come at once.

BEAUTIFUL STYLES IN Summer Dresses
Several hundred new styles from New York designers have just recently arrived and to see them is to buy them for never before have you had such a splendid opportunity to purchase such desirable garments as now.
Summer Dresses, worth up to $5.00 and consisting of Plain Voiles, fancy Stripe Voiles, etc. as well as other sheer summer materials in all colors for only
$2.98 Each
Misses' and Women's sizes in the assortment
$7.50 and $8.50 values in Misses' and Women's stylish Dresses made of Organdie and Voiles in Stripes, Dots, Florals, Checks, etc., in all colors and pretty whites too for only
$5.95 Each

200 Sample Waists
$5.00 to $7.50 values that a New York designer shipped us. In the lot are Chiffon, Gingette Crepes, Lace, Crepe de Chine, Net, soft finished Taffeta, etc. made according to the newest ideas. Your choice for only ..... $3.95 each

Women's and Misses Spring Coats
All reduced. Come and get one this week.
$ 7.50 to $10.00 values at only ..... $ 5.95
$12.50 to $16.50 values at only ..... $ 9.75
$18.00 to $20.00 values at only $12.75
$25.00 to $35.00 values for only $19.75
Coverts, Silks, Serges, Novelties, etc. in this lot.

Marting's
Special lot of Children's Summer Dresses, all sizes, Gingham, Percale, etc., for only, each $1.00
Marting's

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60. Residence A-650.

Dear Miss Wise.—Please tell me how to clean a white kid belt. Are full skirts going to be stylish all summer?
WANT-TO-KNOW.

With a paste made of flour and gasoline. Wide skirts will be in style all summer and probably through the fall and winter.

Dear Dolly—Rev. McAfee referred in a sermon to Dreyfus. Who was he or what became of him or what was his case?
CURIOUS TO KNOW.

Dreyfus was a Jewish captain and brevet-major in French army and was accused of selling military secrets to Germany. He was tried, convicted, degraded from rank and imprisoned—later exiled. After several years he secured a retrial of his case and was acquitted by the court.

Dear Dolly.—A year ago a girl in a passing crowd struck my fancy. I saw her again the next day and have continued to see her on the street several times every week since then. I find that I am thinking about her too much of the time to continue my work successfully and I have tried to become better acquainted with her without results. She speaks to me when we meet, but refuses to converse with me. I have in the meantime been going steadily with a girl of my parents' choice. She is a good girl, but she does not appeal to me as this other one does. Shall I try to make this girl listen to me, or shall I make myself be satisfied with the girl of my parents' choice?
JOHN.

The girl shows that she hasn't the slightest interest in you and the best thing you can do is to forget her. I would not advise you to be satisfied with the other girl if she does not appeal to you. Time will present some other girl whom you will like better, if you are patient.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a girl of 12 years old and I belong to church. I have friends who belongs to the same church, but they are very much deceit about them. Do you think good Christians would be that way? Please tell me what should we do with them.
READER.

You can't do anything but pity them, little reader. Real genuine Christians are not deceitful, but there are many hypocrites and so-called Christians in nearly all churches who are deceitful and two-faced.

Dear Dolly.—Please give receipt for canning strawberries.
IGNORANT.

Strawberries are canned the same as any other kind of berries. They are better made into preserves than anything else.

Dear Dolly.—Should a gentleman remove his hat while at table in an ice cream parlor with a lady?
B.

No. It is considered a public place and he keeps his hat on.

Dear Dolly.—Do you know where I could get a Harvey's Grammar?
D. L. R.

If anyone has this book please phone me.

Dear Miss Wise.—How should a girl have her graduating cards engraved, Miss Madeline Blank or Madeline Blank?
SWEET GIRL GRAD.

Miss Madeline Blank. The latter smacks of undue familiarity.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a young woman of 21 years and have been seeing a young man almost daily whom I would like to met. I don't know anyone who knows him to introduce me. I don't even know if he is married or not. I hav seen him for two years now and he is never with any girls.
ISABELLA.

If I were you I should forget him. There are so many other nice young men to whom you may be introduced by mutual friends and with whom you will have something in common, that I think it would be foolish to exert so much energy in getting acquainted with some one you know nothing about.

Dear Miss Wise.—I would like to know how to clean a Panama hat at home.
TIMES READER.

Wet some sulphur and make a paste of it, rub it in the hat with a small brush and place where the sun will not shine upon it to dry. When dry rub with a coarse linen cloth. I can't vouch for this remdy as I have never tried it myself. You can also get a straw hat cleaner at any drug store that will clean Panama nicely.

Thanks—Phone me on No. 60 and I'll give you the desired information. I can't give names in this column.

SOCIETY

Mrs. T. C. Patterson and daughter, Mrs. A. E. Evernrd, gave another Kensington this afternoon at their handsome home on Ninth street. Art needlework was followed by a delicious two-course luncheon. The hostesses were assisted by Miss Helen Patterson, Miss Helen Morris and little Miss Martha Louise Patterson. The invited guests were as follows: Mesdames W. W. Anderson, P. E. Selby, James Patterson, J. F. Carr, William Briggs, D. A. Berndt, W. H. Burl, Lucien Doty, Ben Heer, Henry Heer, John Peebles, Alan Jordan, W. W. Gates, Jr., Arthur Willey, S. R. Crawford, W. G. Williams, W. E. Gault, Mark Selby, Howard Sellards, Harry Revare, Chris Heer, W. D. Gilliland, J. W. Dunning, J. T. Carey, George Mytinger, E. D. Stevens, Arthur Stevens, J. C. Sears, A. J. McFarland, W. H. Schwartz, W. C. Goodwin, Misses Gladys Evans, Margaret Miller, Pauline Gillespie, of McConnellsville, guest of Mrs. Sears.

Miss Edna Strickleit, of Rosemount Road, has returned home after spending a few days at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones, of Grandview avenue.

Mrs. George D. Selby entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club and a few guests this afternoon at "Popular Lodge," the Selby summer cottage, on Rosemount Road. The afternoon's diversions ended with an elegant picnic supper. Mrs. O. W. Anderson, of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Nora Franklin, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Judge J. W. Cannon and Mr. George D. Selby were the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker have rented their furnished home on Logan street to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Agate. Mr. Agate is here selling Florida real estate. Mr. Walker has gone to Chicago, where he has accepted a splendid position. Mrs. Walker is in Waverly visiting her relatives and will join her husband in Chicago later.

The last of this season's meetings of the Dalton Auction Bridge club was held this afternoon at the home of Miss Elizabeth Watkins, who invited several guests to play at extra tables. Miss Martha McGhee, of Wellston, and Mrs. Lans Haldeman, of Cleveland, were out-of-town guests.

Mrs. J. C. Sears gave a charming sewing party yesterday afternoon for the pleasure of her guest, Miss Pauline Gillespie, of McConnellsville. There were thirty guests. The rooms were exquisitely adorned in pink and white. Killarney roses were the attractive flowers used. Mrs. Adele Matthews sang beautiful selections, and Miss Gillespie also added to the entertainment by playing delightful piano music. The refreshments were in the pink and white color scheme.

The Mizpah Class of the United Brethren Sunday school will meet this evening at the home of Misses Rose and Katherine Widdig, on Eighth street.

Mrs. C. N. Smith's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will meet this evening at the home of Miss Geneva Smith, 1720 Seventh street.

Mrs. John Peters, of Ironton, is spending a few days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jackson, of Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray, of Cincinnati, are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones, of Grandview avenue, was the scene of a delightful surprise Monday evening, when Class No. 2 of Grandview Avenue Christian church, of which Mr. Jones is teacher, gathered at their home and gave them a present. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left Tuesday for Shelbyville, Ky., where they will visit their son, Dr. Jones, for quite awhile. About fifty members were present. All departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Jones a pleasant trip.

Mrs. R. G. Willey, of 911 Seventh street, left Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Spray, at Gephart's Station.

Miss Lois Lammers, of Branwell, W. Va., is the guest of her grandfather, Mr. E. W. Lammers, of Seventh street.

Mrs. Thomas Brand returned Wednesday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ben McDaniel, at Henley.

Mrs. Edna Scheaf and baby daughter, of Columbus, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Willis, of Findlay street, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carlyle, of Holdrege, Nebraska, will arrive the last of the week and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lockwood, 716 Findlay street.

Mrs. J. H. Bryant, of Maysville, Ky., is the guest of her father, J. P. Rau, of 918 Seventh street, while her husband is attending the Presbyterian convention at Rochester, N. Y.

The Hutchins Street Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Kent, 1410 High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bannon gave a bridge party last evening to a large number of friends. The prizes were won by Mrs. Paul Esselborn, Mrs. R. D. York, Mr. Alan Jordan and Mr. Samuel Johnson. The consolation prizes were presented to Mrs. Wells A. Hutchins and Mr. Frank Moulton. Lunch was served at the card tables.

Mrs. Henry Revare and Miss Hattie Gallin gave a Kensington this afternoon at the home of Mr. B. H. Dillon, on Waller street. This is one of the popular whirls being given for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp. The guests were Misses Kate Marsh, Louise Revare, Katherine Williams, Mamo Smith, Emma Goeller, Vinnie Dawson, Essie Finch, Lucy Scutt, Mesdames Ben Revare, James Kirby, Pollock, Lou Easterday, George Wear, Howard Moore, Walter Wilhelm, George Middleton, James Dawson, W. H. Doerr, O. C. Arthurs, Frank Kennedy, James Selby, Louise Burke. Refreshments were served at the close of the enjoyable afternoon.

The Kendall Avenue W. C. T. U. will meet at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donley, on Eighth street. All members and everybody interested are invited to be present.

The First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary held the regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Brady. The meeting was very enthusiastic. Arrangements were made for a membership contest to end at the next month's meeting. Mrs. Harry W. Miller and Mrs. W. H. Schwartz were the captains elected. The losing side will entertain the winners some time during the summer. There were twenty-five present. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Grady, Mrs. John Ives, Mrs. Alspaugh and Miss Florence Richardson. Mrs. Lena Kline Reed will be chairman at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burns, of 802 Grimes avenue, are the proud parents of a daughter, born Saturday morning at their home. The baby weighs eight pounds. Mrs. Burns is getting along nicely.

At her beautiful home, 308 John street, Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. S. S. Muguet entertained several of her most intimate friends with a Kensington. The afternoon passed away all too swiftly, for those present had a most delightful time. At the close the hostess served her guests with delectable refreshments. Those present were Mrs. Lou Schloss, Mrs. Harry Molster, Mrs. Owen Thompson, Mrs. Walter Phillips, Mrs. Walter Bierley, Mrs. Harvey Shonkwiler, Mrs. Bee Damon, Mrs. Wm. Nageleisen, Mrs. F. W. Sheridan, Mrs. Joseph T. Sheridan, of McConnelsville, O., Misses Ida Jenkins, Lydia Jenkins, Jessie Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fligor charmingly entertained a crowd of young friends last evening. The time was spent in games and music, several of the guests rendering several beautiful vocal solos. During the evening the hostess, assisted by Misses Edna Bodmer and Gladys Jenkins served refreshments of ice cream and cake. Those present were: Misses Edna Bodmer, Gladys Jenkins, Sarah Hester, Lily Hester, Mattie Jennings, Mary Cottle, Mollie Barnhard, Miss Walker, Pearl Bodmer, Jessie Fligor, Estelle DeAtley, Ethel Terrill; Peter Quickel, Carbin Quickel, Frank H. Schmidt, Cecil Hill, Hub Clarie, Lowell Doley, Albert Schmid, John Apel, A. W. Apel, Clarence Fligor, Wesley Fligor, Montrose Fligor, Mr. and Mrs. Fligor and children.

Mrs. Frank Standley, of Cleveland, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. W. Burns, 802 Grimes avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson and little daughter, Florence Evelyn, of Walnut Hills, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Applegate, on Third street.

Miss Virginia Lewis, who has been the charming guest of Mrs. Lucien Doty, has returned to Wheelersburg, where she is visiting her aunt, Miss Kate Crichton.

Mrs. Will Minego of Seventh street was the Tuesday guest of her sister in law, Mrs. Gus Minego of Findlay street at a six o'clock dinner.

A surprise wedding of last evening was that of Miss Weltha May Fry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Fry, of Logan street, and Mr. George Edward May, of Scioto-ville. The young couple, accompanied by their attendants, the brother and sister of the bride, Mr. Herbert L. Fry and Miss Grace Fry, went to the home of the officiating minister, Rev. L. L. Magee, where the Methodist Episcopal ring ceremony was said at half-after eight o'clock. The bride was attired in a dainty white gown and her sister wore pink. After the ceremony the happy couple were driven to their own prettily furnished home at 1712 High street. The groom is a fine young man, employed in the office of the Irving Drew Shoe Co., and the bride is a popular and attractive young woman of this city.

The Friday Evening Kensington Club will be entertained tomorrow evening at the home of Misses Mae and Margaret Keller.

The Kensington given yesterday afternoon by the German Evangelical Relief Fund Society was an enjoyable affair. A large number of members and several guests were present.

Miss Ellen Rogers, of Hillsboro, has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers, at Mineral Springs.

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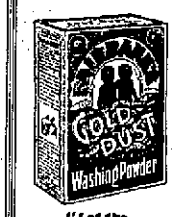

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Dear Miss Dolly Wise:—I am a girl 16 years old, I dearly love soda water and my beau always wants to go to Flood & Blake's to buy. I don't object because I think theirs is the best. Don't you?
CHERRY DOPE.
adv

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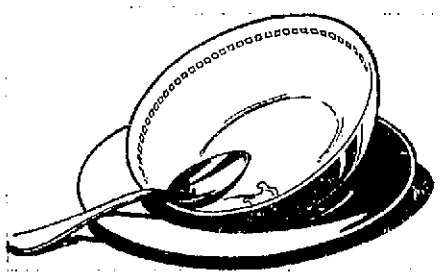

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The highest compliment you can pay a housewife is to eat heartily of the food that she places before you. It proves the merit of her cooking.

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FRIDAY IS PARASOL DAY
As announced at the beginning of this sale, Friday will be known as parasol day and we offer a great lot of parasols at one unusually low price considering the value. This special is positively for Friday only. Saturday will be too late to secure one of these specials.
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FLOOD WALL EXTENSION GIVEN COUNCIL'S RECOMMENDATION

Further attempts to dodge the proposed flood wall extension were nipped in the bud by William Gergens, director of public service, when he came to the rescue of the projected improvement at the city council meeting Wednesday evening.

Five petitions containing the signatures of 160 property owners of Mill and Front streets had just been presented calling for speedy action on the part of council to get the important improvement under way.

George Gulker, chairman of the street committee, was on his feet in an instant, insisting that the matter of extending the flood wall was entirely up to the city board of control.

Mr. Gergens Pins Council Down To Facts

Director Gergens promptly took issue with him. He declared that the board of control had been ordered to bring in an estimate for the improvement, which it did. It was next ordered to bring in an estimate of probable damage claims of abutting property owners and had also done that. Its work had ended there, he said, and the question of whether or not the extension was to be built was not up to council. He said if council really felt disposed to go ahead with the project the thing for it to do was to go right ahead and bring condemnation suits, if necessary, and issue the required bonds to cover the cost of the improvement. "The old council built the original flood wall and did not ask the former board of control a word about it," was Mr. Gergens' parting shot.

Mr. Gulker now explained his position. He said he really hoped the flood wall would be constructed, but he felt the board of control had never made any definite or final recommendation.

Project Goes To Street Committee

Chairman Charles Wilson of the finance committee, ended further controversy by bringing matters to a head. Briefly reviewing what had been done by the board of control, and declaring he was convinced that the board had acted in good faith, he said it was up to the street committee to act upon the board's recommendation. He said that early in the year the board had taken up a number of important improvements contemplated for the year and had singled out the flood wall as one of all importance. He therefore moved that the matter be referred to the street committee for recommendation. The motion carried unanimously.

Vice Mayor Cook Returns To Chair

Vice-Mayor W. E. Cook was back in his chair as presiding officer of council for the first time since going to California early last December and was warmly welcomed. He held quite a levee just prior to the opening of the meeting and related to the city solons interesting incidents of his long stay on the Pacific Coast.

Judge George M. Osborn, who acted as chairman during Mr. Cook's absence, remained for but a short time and just before going announced the formal acceptance by the B. & O. S.-W. railroad of the Lawson Run overhead crossing ordinance. City Solicitor Stanley McCall also announced that the Norfolk & Western railway had also accepted the ordinance.

Buch And Snyder Addition Causes Wrangle

Capt. Adam Buch and John W. Snyder appeared before council to protest against City Engineer George Wilhelm changing the alignment and elevation of Gallia street through their addition at East Portsmouth after the plat had been accepted. Members Shump and Schmank brought up the matter formally and Capt. Buch was given an opportunity to be heard. He claimed he could get no specific answers from the engineer, that he was subjecting him to constant annoyance and unless council or someone in authority restrained him that he and his associate would seek redress in the courts. A ten minute recess was taken to permit members to review the plat and plans and at times the controversy between the addition owners and Engineer Wilhelm became quite heated. Mr. Gulker also aroused the latter's ire when he intimated that if the street committee's recommendation as to grade had been followed, one half of the present big retaining wall there could have been eliminated. Mr. Wilson ended further discussion by moving that the question be referred to the street committe to confer with the engineer and representatives of the addition and establish the line where it belongs. This carried.

West End Blockade Is Given A Whirl

Mr. Schmank reported that residents of the extreme West End were very indignant over the blockade of Second street by Charles Ball in moving a cottage from off the new county bridge approach and that he would study a time before he would ever vote to move an old house again. The mayor briefly reviewed the difficulties he had with Mr. Ball and assured council relief was in sight by Friday.

Mr. Schmank also made complaint that odors arising from the fill at the flood washout, corner of Second and Scioto streets, had aggravated the illness of Mrs. John Swearingin, and suggested that the service department keep down the stench as much as possible.

Mr. Miller Submits A Sewer Proposition

Cecil S. Miller appeared before council with a proposition to backfill the sewer through his addition provided the city made a start by throwing 1200 yards of dirt around it, he agreeing to do all of the rest. He estimated the 1200 yards would cost $300. The proposition was referred to the service director, street committee and engineer.

Mr. Wilson registered complaint that the nuisance caused by rotten corn cobs and other refuse in a pond back of Coburn Bros.' feed mill had not yet been abated. He also called attention to the fact that the safety gates installed at the underground crossing near the new city pumping station were constantly standing open and gave warning that this was bound to sooner or later result in railroad accidents. Director Gergens assured him he would try to equip the gates with some automatic closing appliance.

A complaint presented by Mr. Gulker from East Portsmouth property owners about contractors on the Gallia pike improvement encroaching two feet on their property line with sidewalks was referred to the street committee and engineer.

A petition asking for uniform sidewalks on both sides of Seventeenth street west from the cemetery to Findlay street was referred to the street committee.

Waste Paper Receptacles For Portsmouth

The service director was authorized to enter into contract with A. C. Hobbs to provide the city with 250 combination waste paper receptacles and street markers, the solicitor to prepare the necessary legislation by the next meeting. Mr. Hobbs discussed his plan at length and said that in all likelihood the boxes and all of his future orders might be manufactured here. He agreed to respect the wishes of the service department as to the class of advertising matter and distribution of the boxes.

Water Works Firemen Want Increase In Salary

A petition from the city water works firemen asking an increase in salaries of from $65 to $70 and stating that their salaries are out of proportion with those of the city police and firemen who receive $75, was referred to the service department for recommendation.

A petition for a sanitary sewer in the alley between Glover and Union and Fifth and Sixth streets was referred to the street committee for recommendation.

City Auditor George Gableman's current statement of balances showed a net balance of $36,719.68.

Several Improvements About the City

The city solicitor was directed to prepare legislation appropriating $35 for a new cement water trough to replace the present leaking trough at Gallia and Clay streets.

The recommendation of the service department for a new 4 inch main and fire hydrant for the protection of property abutting on the city garbage dumps to cost $102.50 was allowed. Mr. Wilson spoke of the similar need at Fifth and Jefferson streets and the service department promised to investigate.

New Water Mains For Eastern Sections

The solicitor was directed to prepare legislation for a new 4 inch water main and hydrants on Spring street, Grant to Vinton and Center streets, costing $190, also for a main on Buch street at East Portsmouth to cost $311.80, Walnut street $679 and for more fire hydrants for general distribution over town in conformity with the recommendations of the Fire Underwriters' to cost $340. Director Gergens explained the fire insurance rates in Portsmouth would never be reduced until more fire hydrants were installed.

Messrs. Westphal and Schmank urged the importance of relieving sewerage conditions in the west Hilltop district. The former showed that the Knost storm sewer between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets and Waller street and Oakland avenue had been petitioned for last August and should take precedence over others.

Sewer Fund Practically Spent

Much talk was now indulged in regarding the almost depleted sewer fund but Clerk Gableman reminded council that the new Cecil Miller sewer had been constructed for about one-half of the estimate and that this would give several thousand dollars for other sewers.

The solicitor was directed to prepare legislation for the Knost sewer to cost $700 and a sewer between Seventeenth and Twenty-first and Hutchins and Timmonds avenue to cost $1100. The Poplar street sewer, estimated at $320, was held up pending the sewer letting Saturday by which time officials will be fully informed as to how much money is available for sewer building.

Provide Money For More Improvements

Rules were suspended and an ordinance passed appropriating $370 to pay for the cost of terracing the Herman Herms place in Kinney Lane.

An ordinance was also passed to improve the old Chillicothe road from Grant to Seventeenth streets. The estimated cost is $5,549, the city's share of which is $1068.98, including the sidewalk which is estimated at $375. As the city owns the cemetery the frontage there is considered lost. The engineer contended that the street railway should pay for the cost of extra excavation under its tracks and really should concrete under its cross ties but that the company was saying its excise tax on the line was intended for that very purpose, and that it would pay in November to the city a sum equal about to the estimate for this extra work, namely $319.

Authorize A Bond Issue

An ordinance was passed providing for a bond issue of $61,500 in anticipation of the collection of special assessments levied against the property owners on Kinney Lane and the other twelve streets paved last year.

Upon the recommendation of Director Joseph Lake, of the public safety department, the solicitor was directed to bring in legislation appropriating money for the purchase of 500 feet more of fire hose.

Chairman Schmank of the law and claims committee, recommended that 5 ft. sidewalks be laid by the service department around the Smith property at Fifteenth and Chillicothe streets in settlement of the damage claims there. The work was authorized.

Chairman Gulker, of the street committee, recommended the paving of Kendall avenue from the railroad tracks north to Gallia pike. Referred to engineer for estimate and solicitor for legislation by the next meeting.

Upon recommendation of Chairman Moeller, of the light committee, the service department was instructed to install a light at Eighteenth and Chillicothe streets.

Rules were suspended and an ordinance passed to improve Gay street from Eleventh to Thirteenth streets. Director Gergens and Engineer Wilhelm reported that the N. & W. reported it impossible to pave between its tracks there, as all of its heavy eastbound freight and passenger traffic passes over this line. It, instead, will plank between the tracks.

Mr. Westphal raised the question of assessing the several properties at Eleventh and Gay though the railway encroaches upon them so close that they have no sidewalks. Solicitor McCall could not give an off hand opinion on the subject and the matter was dropped.

Upon motion of Mr. Westphal the need of better drainage in the gutter at the Julius Arbogast property at Eleventh and Findlay streets was referred to the engineer for an estimate.

Director Gergens called attention to the situation created in the proposed Mabert Road improvement by the claim of Mrs. Emma Appler that she owns a 400 ft. strip of ground which the city must buy before acquiring the title for a full width street. She was willing to donate part of the strip, he said, and other property owners were disposed to do the same. The matter was referred to the city solicitor, engineer and service director.

The Real Suffrage Thought of Women

Motherhood is the thought uppermost in woman's mind. And with it, of course, comes the question of comfort, of helpful aids and influences. Among the best of these is a well known external remedy, "Mother's Friend." It is gently applied to the surface muscles. These are lubricated, toned, made pliable so they stretch as nature requires without the strain and pain so cords and ligaments. This influence extends through the myriad of nerves to deeper surfaces, the internal organs. And thus a period of repose must reflect itself not only in the mind of the mother, but upon the babe to come.

Young mothers who have used "Mother's Friend" have written to say how rejoiced they were at the absence of morning sickness, extreme nervousness, and other distresses of which they had heard and feared. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" at any drug store. Simply apply it over the stomach muscles and rest assured of perfect safety and comfort day and night. Write to Bradfield Regulator, 408 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for their handsome and instructive book.

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EAST END MORE SANITARY THAN THE WEST END

—DEPUTY FIRE MARSHALS

Better sanitary conditions exist in the East End of the city than in the West End, according to the two deputy fire marshals, Messrs. Bell and Hamilton, who have been making a tour of inspection of the East End for the past four days. They claim that the alleys are much cleaner, the buildings newer, and in better condition than in the older part of the city.

One condition, however, to which they object, is the location of so many vaults in sheds and stables. They claim that this is unsanitary and dangerous, and an order to eliminate this condition was issued wherever it was found.

In addition to the many come down orders, a large number of repair orders were issued this week. When a building can be made sightly and safe by repair, the deputies always recommend repair, so that the owner does not have to lose his entire building.

Deputies Bell and Hamilton expect to get through this week, although the work may take a few days longer. Week before last, they were over all territory west of Chillicothe street, and this week they have been working entirely east of Chillicothe street.

Big Car Order Has Become A Reality

Cleveland, Ohio, May 20th—The Iron Trade Review today says:

"The actual placing of orders for 11,900 cars by the Pennsylvania lines has furnished positive evidence that recent announcements concerning the buying program of these lines are well founded in spite of rumors that the orders were to be indefinitely postponed. The Pennsylvania has also placed orders for 75 locomotives and 1,000 automobile cars' are pending. Russian car orders, to the number of at least 1,000, are still pending.

The steel bar situation is very strong. This is due in part to the heavy orders for bars for shrapnel recently placed, but the demand for purely domestic purposes is very fair and prices are being well maintained.

Owing to the very high price of spelter, the minimum quotation on No. 28 galvanized sheets is now $3.60, Pittsburgh.

CERTIFICATES ISSUED

School certificates were awarded to a number of the applicants of the April and May county examinations at a meeting of the board of examiners, held last evening in the office of E. O. McCowen, county school examiner and a member of a board. The majority of the applicants took one-half of the examination in April, and the other half in May, although a few took the entire examination this month.

Certificates were issued to the following:

Three year elementary—Clifford Shaner, Ethel Clutts.

Two year renewals—Lulu B. Jones, John Bonts, L. H. Mault, George H. Naas.

One year—Ralph Waldo, Herman Bender, Walter Heller, Bert James, Clarence Kuhner, W. A. Lindsey, Minford Ossmeyer, Bessie Ach, Nellie Barney, Grace Cook, Ruth Doll, Lucretia Dupre, Mayme Frisuhe, Fay Harwood, Edna Lewis, Lucy McCormick, Katherine Noel, Rosena Russell, Aileen Sherman, Helen Walsh, Madeline Smith, Edith Wilson, Nanchie Preston, Dora Brown and Emma Stuker.

High school, two year renewal, D. D. Staker.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv. 11-tf

A-T-B. Meeting

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society will meet at the home of Mrs. George Grimes, 1501 Fifth street, Thursday evening at eight o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

SIMON LABOLD, President.
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CLASS TO GRADUATE ON FRIDAY EVENING

Elaborate plans and a splendid program have been perfected for the commencement exercises of the Wheelersburg High school graduates to be held Friday evening, in the Wheelersburg M. E. church, at 7:30 o'clock. Prof. L. E. Wolfe, secretary of the entrance board to the Ohio State University at Columbus, will deliver the commencement address. Bode's Orchestra of this city will furnish the music.

A large banner bearing the class motto, "With the Robes of the Past We Will Ring the Bells of the Future," to be used in decorating the church is being prepared by the girl graduates. The background is of silver with lettering of purple flowers, silver and purple being the class colors. A large number of white carnations, the class flower, will be used in other decorating.

The graduating class consists of seven girls and five boys, the largest class to ever enter upon life's work from the senior class of Wheelersburg high school. The graduates are Marie Janes, Hazel Fritts, Averil Hunsinger, Evelyn Hunsinger, Anna Miller, Clara Cranston, Nell Griver, McKinley Sauer, John Onkes, Raymond Gleim, John Sauer and Louis Smith. The commencement program follows:

March—Boy Scout.

Invocation—Rev. Charles F. Hughes.

Music, "Alma, Where Do You Live?"

Salutatory, "No Victory Without Labor"—Miss Marie Janes.

Waltz, "Sighing of the Wind."

Class History and Prophecy—McKinley Sauer.

Music, "Marcella."

Valedictory, "The Power oof Little Things"—Louis Smith.

Music (Characteristic) —"Dewdrops."

Class Address—Prof. L. E. Wolfe, secretary of entrance board to Ohio State University at Columbus.

Fantasy—"In Dreamy Dells."

Presentation of diplomas—Prof. J. M. Turner.

Benediction—Rev. Charles F. Hagar.

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The Frisky Colts Are Blanked 11-0; 2 Home Runs Made

Sharman's hit was a dream,
Over the fence it sailed,
He's getting the applause by the reams
But oh my, what if he had failed!

Portsmouth slugged its way to the leadership of the Ohio State league Wednesday.

The Lexington Colts, pace setters until they reached this city, were routed by a 11 to 0 score. The first invasion of Manager Howard Guyn's team was singularly unsuccessful, his team losing the opening game of a series of four by a lopsided score at Millbrook yesterday.

Hamming the ball to all corners of the lot and over the fence the frisky, fretful, free-reined Colts never had a look in. It was a veritable biff party on the part of Portsmouth with Ralph Sharman and Austin McHenry leading in the biffing. Sharman led the onslaught with a homer, a three sacker and a double. McHenry, Adams county's pride, whaled one to the pennant pole for an all-the-way-round-trip and he zipped a double to left.

Sharman lifted one over the left center field fence that was conceded to be the longest home run ever made since Portsmouth edged its way into the Ohio State league. Getting one right through the slot the stockily built centerfielder laced it over the C. & O. sign and jogged around the sacks. The wallop cleared the fence 20 feet. It was an awful smash, one of those dripping sweet rifle shots that bring joy to the fans and fattens the batting average of the ash wielder.

But getting out of this Home Run league there was nothing to the opening game but Portsmouth. With Test breezing along like a high powered machine that had just oozed into high the Colts were helpless from the start. Mixing cool judgment with fine fielding, perfect control and a matchless assortment of floaters, Test galloped in mind of the entire field, leaving the Lexington Colts at the post.

The only time they saw the barrier was when they nosed it for the get away. Gaining momentum as inning after inning was clipped off Portsmouth simply trotted home, Lexington offering but feeble resistance. It was their initial appearance and garbed in blue suits with white trimmings they made a splendid appearance. But "unies" have never won a ball game. It is what is stocked up in them that comes through. That's the dope.

Unable to stand the pace Pitcher Pace paced right out of the pitchers' box in the fifth inning when a cluster of nine clean wallops, a pass and an error netted eight runs. Guyn sent Pace to left and he finished the game.

At the break away Diltz was passed. Dilly dallied one down the first base corner for a neat sacrifice. McClelland's toss put Sharman in an 8 hole. Mills singled to short and Diltz scored when McClelland hit a spectator in the bleachers. Spencer popped gently to Jones.

The Colts mixed a hit with three outs in their half, McClelland ramming one through short with two strikes on him. Portsmouth got three on in the second, but Test, Diltz and Dilly were disposed of without a run scoring. It was in the third that Sharman opened up his 42 inch continuator and shot the ball over the garden wall. It soared over the fence with the ease that kids ooze under a circus tent and the clout took the starch out of Pace, who was done for the day.

The real cannonading was uncorked in the eventful fifth. There was a shower of bingles that fell all around the frightened Colts. Diltz started it with a smash to center. Dilly followed with a rap across the infield. Sharman sloughed a triple to right, the Dill boys walking in. Mills and Spencer hit and Caton sacrificed. Bush, McHenry and Test joined the Slugging Club as charity members.

Then a couple more of hits were inserted and these with the aid of two errors netted eight runs and Lexington wounded and bleeding was out on the battle field. One more was registered in the sixth on errors by Deveraux and McClelland and a two base drive by McHenry.

Fans, the home club clouting was a revelation. Class again asserted itself most convincingly and Lexington walked off the field a badly beaten club.

But today's another day and the baseball pendulum may swing their way.

The score:

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diltz, rf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Dillhoefer, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Sharman, cf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Mills, c	5	1	2	4	0	0
Spencer, lh	5	1	1	13	2	1
Caton, ss	3	0	1	4	1	0
Bush, 2b	4	2	2	2	4	1
McHenry, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Test, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	38	11	15	27	11	2

Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Gain, cf	4	0	1	7	0	0
McClelland, ss	4	0	1	3	1	2
Shafer, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Guyn, lf, p	4	0	0	0	0	1
Deveraux, 1h	4	0	0	8	0	2
Blackwell, c	4	0	2	3	1	0
Jones, 3b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Vetler, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Pace, p, lf	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	10	5

Portsmouth	1	0	1	0	8	1	0	0	x	11
Lexington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two-Base Hits—Blackwell, Sharman, McHenry.
Three-Base Hit—Sharman.
Home Runs—Sharman, McHenry.
Sacrifice Hits—Dillhoefer, McHenry.
Stolen Bases—Caton 2, Bush, Jones.
First Base on Balls—Pace 2.
Hit by Pitcher—Jones.
Struck Out—By Test 4; Pace 2.
Umpire—Pfirman.
Time of Game—1:10.

A FEW GROUNDERS AND PICKUPS

Sharman and McHenry were decorated with home run honors for bravery displayed yesterday in a battling way in Millbrook.

"I got a real ball club," said Manager Guyn to Scout Doyle as they were riding to Millbrook park yesterday. "So has Portsmouth," came back Doyle. His statement has been verified.

It is refreshing to see Diltz larrup the ball. He is hitting hard and timely and bids fair to bat around the .320 mark all season.

Dillhoefer injects a world of life into the game. He plays grounders with skill and looks formidable at the plate.

Homer Cain roamed all over center field. He hauled in seven spirals and secured a hit. He looks fast as ever and is one of the classiest outfielders in the league. The fans kidded him all through the game but Homer had some tart replies all framed up for them.

Bush and Caton are two grain infielders. Their work around the keystone sack is snappy and accurate and they can wield the willow with success.

Blackwell caught a swell game for the Colts. He looks better than last year. McClelland at short despite his two errors covered lots of ground.

Manager Spencer is not laboring under a managerial strain. Nothing like it. He is in almost every play and has the intuitive faculty of being where he should be at the right time.

Not a single kick was registered against any of Pfirman's decisions. His Umps was for three years an arbiter in the Central league.

Test was "tested" and not found wanting. He grew stronger as the game progressed according to Catcher Mills, who was at the receiving end of the battery.

All around the circuit the fans are praising the local outfield. McHenry, Sharman and Diltz form a classy trio.

The Lexington Colts play here Friday and Saturday and then hop over to Charleston to play four games with Biddy Beers' team.

It is not often that fans are privileged to see nine straight hits made in one inning as they were yesterday. It was a batting rally that you read about.

BABES WERE DEFEATED

Charleston, W. Va., May 20.—In a well played game here Wednesday Charleston beat the Babes 2 to 1. De Reery secured a triple in the eighth, but died on third. Simms' pitching was a feature. He has won three games in a row. The score:

Chillicothe	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Corin, lh	5	0	1	7	0	0
H. Devore, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
J. Devore, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Doherty, c	4	0	1	0	2	1
Christian, 2b	3	0	1	0	2	0
Zeiser, ss	4	0	0	5	1	0
Bateman, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Layne, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brockley, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
*Moore	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	1	9	24	9	1

Charleston	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Nutter, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Beers, c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Curtis, 3b	3	1	2	1	0	1
Troutman, ss	4	0	2	3	2	0
Hudson, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	1
Abner, rf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Atterson, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Evans, 2b	2	0	0	1	5	1
Sims, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	28	2	7	26	11	3

*Batted for Zeiser in ninth.

Chillicothe	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Charleston	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	x	2

Earned Runs—Chillicothe 1; Charleston 1.
Two-Base Hit—Christian.
Three-Base Hits—Brockley, Doherty.
Double Plays—Brockley to Corbin; Sims, Beers and Hudson; Abner and Beers.
Struck Out—By Sims 5.
Bases on Balls—Off Sims 2; Brockley 5.
Bases on Errors—Charles 2; Chillicothe 3.
Left on Bases—Chillicothe 9; Charleston 8.
Time—1:30.
Umpire—Colgate.

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Wrests Honor From Keene

Several years ago when Springfield by one leap jumped from yarn ball to league baseball and elbowed its way into the sacred precincts of the Ohio State the club had a first sacker with batting proclivities. His name indicated this. He was none other than Buster Keene.

Well Buster K. & W.'ed into the old burg with the Reapers and shouldered his war club against the local team in Millbrook. He electrified the fans by lifting one over the left field fence. Open mouthed fans perched on their hind legs asseverated that it was the longest hit whatever. The statement went unchallenged.

But fans, a new mark was set in over-the-fence drives yesterday. Sharman's wallop that cleared the enclosure was a longer drive than Keene's. It was nearer center field, which increases the distance as left field is shorter. Candidly Sharman's hit will go down in the baseball archives as the longest home run ever uncorked in the River City. The pill landed this side of the Dardanelles.

UMPS, YOU'RE THERE

"Hurry boys let's have the litter. Work fast."

This was the slogan of Umpire Pfirman, who debutted here Wednesday. Say, ginklets, he's there with that arbiter stuff. Aces up. He runs the game like a veteran and keeps the athletes jumping. And his decisions were unquestioned. His work for a starter was strictly first class.

An Awful Clout

And on this home run subject don't overlook the fact that McHenry drove one to the pennant pole for the circuit. It was a terrible smash which shot past Homer Cain like a flame tipped meteor. McHenry came home standing up as he was rounding third when Homer Cain retrieved the ball.

"A Circuit Chaser"

Say, Mr. Fan, a new drink was invented at the Lexington-Portsmouth game Wednesday," said an enthusiast last night.

"What kind was it?" asked another bug.

"Oh it was a circuit chaser dedicated to Swatsmiths Sharman and McHenry."

Nailers Beat Frankfort

Frankfort, May 20.—The locals dropped the eighth straight game of the season Wednesday afternoon. The Nailers fell on the offerings of Kirk in the first inning for four runs and when the game was over the score was 10 to 5 against the locals. Tedrow, pitching for the visitors, was relieved in the sixth by Reams. The score:

Ironton	4	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0—10	12	4
Frankfort	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0—5	11	1

Batteries—Tedrow, Reams and Haddock; Kirk, Abbott and Angermeir.

REDS FAILED TO SCORE

Won't some one please stop the Reds? They were blanked again by Brooklyn Wednesday, the final being 2 to 0. Killefer made a three bagger, but could not score. The game in figures:

Cincinnati	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Herzog, ss	4	0	1	6	1	0
Killefer, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Groh, 2b	3	0	0	0	5	0
Griffith, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Von Kolnitz, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Mollwitz, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Clarke, c	2	0	2	4	2	0
Ames, p	3	0	0	0	5	1
Totals	30	0	5	24	16	1

Brooklyn	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
O'Mara, ss	4	0	0	3	1	1
Daubert, 1b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Stengel, rf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Wheat, lf	4	2	1	4	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Myers, cf	3	0	2	5	0	0
Schultz, 3b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Miller, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Coombs, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	31	2	9	27	5	1

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	x	2

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LEAVES SCHOOL BOOKS TO TRIM LEXINGTON

Putting aside his school books, Hubert Test, 18, and a right hand pitcher, hustled off to Millbrook between showers Wednesday afternoon.

He donned a Portsmouth uniform and forgot all about English, algebra and geometrical problems. He essayed to pitch Portsmouth into the top rung of the Ohio State ladder. With the assistance of eight other strudy athletes he turned the trick. And fans this angularly built kid pitched rings around the sloughing Colts.

Lexington amassed four hits, one an infieldtap that speed converted into a hit and three others. Test did not give a pass and with his will-o'-the-wisp stride at the plate he spanked out a hit. Today he is back at his school books.

WHEN THE NEWS REACHED OLD ADAMS

Every night Outfielder McHenry gets a telephone call from the home folks down in old Adams. Last night Scout Doyle slipped a good one over on Dr. McHenry, father of the local player.

"Your son was arrested today," piped Doyle on this end of the line.

"What's that?" came back Dr. McHenry rather excitedly, "my boy was arrested?"

"Yes, that's right. He knocked a a board off the fence with a home run today and the cops just naturally pounced on him for destruction of property," laughingly replied Doyle and the line tingled with laughter for a few seconds. Dr. McHenry was the happiest man in Adams county when he learned that his son had slammed out a home run and a two bagger.

The news was flashed all along the classic banks of Blue Creek and into historical West Union where McHenry picked up the rudiments of the game and town ways.

Satisfied With Club

Manager Howard Guyn and Scout Billy Doyle a few years ago were members of the same team, Waco, Texas.

Doyle later got into the scouting game and Guyn went to the Pacific Coast league. He has many friends here and they are pulling for him to have a winner in Lexington this season. Guyn is a wise old head an he works right with his players and is well satisfied with the way his team has been performing. Well, he should be as the Colts had only dropped one game until they reached the River City.

W. & J. TEAM TO PLAY ON COAST

Washington, Pa., May 20.—Manager H. M. Murphy of the football team of Washington and Jefferson university announced last night that terms had been agreed upon whereby the W. & J. team will play at the Panama Pacific exposition at San Francisco on September 18. He said the opposing team would either be Michigan university or the Carlisle Indians.

Will Run Classic

New York, May 20.—Nine horses were carded to start in the Metropolitan handicap with which historic classic the West Chester racing association opening its season at Belmont Park today. In days of greater prosperity for racing the prizes for this event had aggregated $20,000 at today if had a guaranteed value of $3,000.

Morrow Spiked

The Charleston Gazette says:

The Babes are badly crippled by the injuries to Morrow and Lamb. The latter is the first sacker of the Devore regiment and was spiked in the game with Frankfort yesterday. He is now laid up at the hotel and will not be able to get in the game for several days. Morrow was also spiked in a game with Frankfort and is in a hospital at that city threatened with blood poisoning.

WE'LL SAY SO DOWN THIS WAY

(Ironton Register)

Caton, the stock little shortstop of the Colts, looks to be a find. In the four games with the Nailers he has played a good game in the field and has always been dangerous at the bat. His catch of Perry's fly in the eighth Tuesday afternoon was nothing short of sensational, and was one of the prettiest catches made in Beechwood for a long time.

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Nailers Get New Pitcher

The St. Louis Browns have turned Pitcher Al Marquard over to Dick Smith's Ironton team. Grimm who had been a member of the pitching staff has drawn his release. Marquard is said to be a promising young pitcher.

Haggerty Is Sent To Erie

Pitcher Haggerty, who was with the Ironton club last year and whom Pete Childs tried to grab for the locals has been sent to Wheeling by the Cleveland club.

Tied In Ninth, Won In Twelfth

The Michigan Aggies of Lansing, Mich., stopped off in Huntington for a ball game Wednesday and were defeated by Marshall College, 3 to 2 12 innings. Marshall tied up the game in the ninth and won out in the twelfth.

Will Ware Goes East

Will Ware, who travels for the Excelsior Shoe Company, left on Thursday for New York, where he will spend a week or two with relatives. He has just returned from a trip to the coast for his firm.

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BASEBALL

Ohio State League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	7	2	.778
Lexington	6	2	.750
Chillicothe	5	4	.556
Charleston	4	4	.500
Ironton	3	5	.375
Frankfort	0	6	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	10	.630
Boston	14	12	.538
Chicago	16	14	.533
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
Pittsburgh	14	15	.483
St. Louis	14	17	.453
New York	11	15	.423
Cincinnati	11	16	.407

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	19	11	.633
New York	16	10	.615
Chicago	19	12	.613
Boston	18	10	.565
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	12	16	.429
St. Louis	10	19	.345
Philadelphia	9	19	.321

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	19	12	.613
Newark	18	12	.600
Chicago	17	13	.567
Kansas City	15	13	.536
Brooklyn	15	13	.536
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	12	13	.400
Buffalo	8	20	.286

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Ohio State League
Charleston 2, Chillicothe 1.
Ironton 10, Frankfort 5.
Portsmouth 11, Lexington 0.

National League
New York 5, Chicago 1.
Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 0.
Philadelphia 0, St. Louis 3.
Boston 0, Pittsburgh 7.

American League
Chicago 9, Philadelphia 7.
Cleveland 5, Boston 2.
Detroit 3, New York 1.

Federal League
Pittsburgh 3, Newark 7.

American Association
Minneapolis 4, St. Paul 0.

GAMES TODAY

Ohio State League
Chillicothe at Charleston.
Lexington at Portsmouth.
Ironton at Frankfort.

Will Visit New League

Scout Billy Doyle will soon take a swing around the Buckeye league in the hopes of digging up one or two prospects. He has received a tip that Lima has a first baseman who is ready to be derricked.

CRACK YOUNG PITCHER IS THE PROPERTY OF PORTSMOUTH CLUB

Out in Kokomo there is one swell pitcher Oh! Oh! Oh!

And the pill flipper is the property of the Portsmouth club. It is like this: The box artist's name is Watson. He is said to have everything even a Ford. When he refused to report he was promptly suspended by Manager Spencer. Watson has been playing independent ball and his work has been praised by every student of the game who has seen him work.

Writing to Scout Doyle Red Munson says, "Watson is the best youngster I have ever seen." The St. Louis Nationals have been trying to grab Watson, but he belongs to the local team. He must report here or continue to play semi-pro ball.

ELIMINATION TRIALS POSTPONED

Indianapolis, May 20.—Rain today caused a postponement of the first elimination trials for the 500 mile automobile race to be held here May 29. Forty cars are entered and as the number of starters has been limited to 33, seven cars will be eliminated. Each car to be permitted to start will have to make an average speed of 80 miles an hour and the 33 showing the best time above that average will make the start in the race. Three trials will be given each driver. At the speedway office it was said the trials would start tomorrow, weather permitting.

DOHERTY JOINS THE BABES

Will Doherty, who until Monday was a member of the Ironton team left Thursday for Charleston, where he will join Manager Josh Devore's Babes. He will play second base for the Babetown club and his friends feel confident that he will make good if given a good chance.

Go Another Year To Get Their Diplomas

Miss Margaret Forby, Miss Thelma Dever, Miss Mary Agnes Cunningham and Messrs. Charles Marting, Paul Bahner and Arthur Duvendeck, who were to graduate from the Scioto ville high school this year, will have to go to school another year in order to receive their diplomas.

Early this year the Scioto ville high school was changed from a second grade high school of three grades to a first grade high school of four grades. The change left six students in the Junior class where otherwise they would have graduated this month. This is the reason there will be no commencement at Scioto ville this year.

The change from a second to a first grade high school will mean the employment of more teachers. Superintendent John Glandon and Prof. R. Burton Reed had charge of the high school work this year. The addition of a Senior grade will mean that one or two more teachers will have to be employed. Several new teachers will be needed in the elementary grades next term on account of the added rooms in the new building.

The new building is to be ready for occupancy by September when school opens. The new structure which is on Market street, will contain four large recitation rooms, library room, rest room, lavatory and domestic science room.

Motored To Columbus

Dr. H. F. Rapp, of Nauvoo, motored to Columbus in his touring car Wednesday. He is expected to return this evening.

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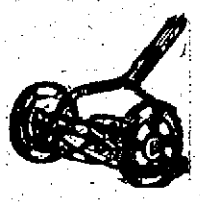

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Peculiar Case In Police Court—North vs South Again

Can You Dig For Fish Worms In Your Neighbor's Yard? No!

The growing hostility between home colored folk and Southern negroes was again manifested in police court Thursday morning during the hearing of Emma Payne on a disorderly charge.

Katie Davis, who had caused the other woman's arrest, did not mince words in describing the situation created by the coming to Portsmouth of Southern negroes and nodded affirmatively when the court told Emma that the home colored people prayed long and earnestly every night before retiring that the N. & W. construction work hereabouts would cease so that she would return to that dear Georgia. Emma insisted that she was not from Georgia but from Florida. She was told that her husband would be helped to take her part of the way unless she subsided and quit coming into police court. Mrs. Davis said she had a married daughter who had moved away from Portsmouth because she felt it was no longer a fit place to live in since it had become infested with the "Southern darkeys."

The immediate cause of the trouble in question was over Emma invading Mrs. Davis' yard on Sunday and digging for big and fat worms for fish bait. The Payne woman was fined $5, her husband arranging to pay it.

Joe Doe, a stranger, who was helplessly drunk aboard an N. & W. passenger train and Jack Newman, who was found down and out at the flood wall, were fined $5 each. John Koehron, a stranger, who was picked up for following women on Gallia street and a man giving the name of E. M. Smith, who was found staggering on Chillicothe street, were released on their promise to leave town. Charles McGill, who had a row with his wife during a beer party at their home in the West End, Wednesday night, was given a $10 suspended fine.

Thomas King, colored, who was arrested by Detective Bob Reno, pleaded guilty to stealing $6 worth of coal from the N. & W. railway, and drew a fine of $10 and costs and sentence of ten days in jail.

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All persons desirous of enlisting in the military company now being organized are requested to call at the office of the Board of Trade in the Masonic Temple at any time this afternoon, when officers will be on hand to muster them in.

A number of enlistments were secured at the meeting held last evening, while several others signified their intention of joining today. Another public meeting will be held this evening, when it is hoped to complete the details of the organization.

Officers present last evening included Col. E. S. Bryant, Assistant Adjutant-General of Ohio, Dr. Dudley Dawson, of Columbus; Lieut. J. S. Bailey, battalion adjutant; and Sergeant George Larsen, of Gallipolis, U. S. A., instructor with the 26th Infantry. The same officers remained over today to assist in the recruiting of prospective members, and the final mustering of the company this evening.

Capt. James W. Smith presided at the meeting and introduced Col. Bryant, who explained in detail the objects of the company and the rules and regulations under which it would be conducted. He expressed pleasure at seeing so many young men present, and complimented them for their general appearance. The other officers also talked informally of the plans of organization and instruction in drill practice.

Providing the full company can be recruited during the afternoon and evening, an election of officers will be held at the meeting this evening. Drill practice will start at once and every effort made to have the company in first-class shape in time for the annual encampment this summer.

New Boston Sewer Plans Are Approved

The adoption of five ordinances and the approving of Engineer Sam Harper's sewer plans and estimates constituted the work of New Boston council at their adjourned meeting Wednesday night.

The anticipated argument on the two extra deputy marshal bills was avoided and both were allowed without a question.

David Truman's bill for $14 which had been held up for almost five week was not discussed. At last council meeting he informed them he would bring suit against the village if not paid.

Ray Brown's bill of $20 was allowed and his appointment as extra deputy from May 5 to September 1 was approved. His bond of $1,000 and Frank Cottle's bond fo $1,000 for park policeman were approved. The 500 feet of fire hose were tested Wednesday afternoon and found perfect. The Chicago Fire Hose company was then allowed their bill of $499.

About two hours were used in Engineer Harper explaining the plans and specifications and estimates of the village's first complete sewer system to be known as main sewer No. 1. Bonds to the amount of $50,000 were sold several months ago to cover the cost of construction of the sewers. The system will consist of sanitary and storm sewers.

The storm sewer will vary in places from three feet to six feet in width. The storm sewer will start at Park and Gallia going south on Park; west on Rhodes to New Center; south on New Center to Stanton, west on Stanton to West avenue and north on West avenue to the alley between Stanton avenue and Rhodes avenue and then through the Peebles addition to the Peebles underground crossing. The sanitary sewer will start on Oak street in Stewartsville and will be in every alley. The sanitary sewer will vary in width from eight to twelve inches. Harper's total estimate for the installing of the sewer system is $45,496.98.

An ordinance was passed approving plans, specifications and estimates for the construction of a sewer system for the supplying to the village and to inhabitants thereof sewer accommodations and securing the use and benefits of the same to such inhabitants by laying the necessary laterals and connection; said work to be know as main sewer No. 1.

Four ordinances were passed determining to proceed with the improvement of Grace street from East property line of West avenue to east curb line of New Center street by grading and setting curbs; construction of necessary drains and retaining walls and paving of roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick; Rhodes avenue from east curb of West avenue to east curb of Park avenue; Harrisonville pike from north corporation line to south curb line of Gallia pike; Gallia pike from east corporation line to west curb line of West avenue. The widths are Rhodes 36 feet; Gallia pike 36 feet; Harrisonville pike 24 feet and Grace street 28 feet.

After the ordinances have been posted for ten days bids will be advertised for. Two weeks will be consumed in advertising. "Work should be started by the middle of June on the paving of the 10 streets, Oak, Harrisonville, Gallia, Park, Center, Vine, Ohio, West, Rhodes and Grace," said Engineer Harper Wednesday evening.

When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 2tf

Wanted At Huntington

Wilbert Ward, who was sent to the workhouse from her for alleged bring a girl to Portsmouth for immoral purposes, will be turned over to the Huntington, W. Va., authorities in a few days. He is wanted there on an alleged forgery charge.

In Ironton

Rev. John Irvin of Allen Chapel is in Ironton on business.

New Messenger

Leo Schreick has taken a job as messenger boy with the Western Union Telegraph company.

Called To Adam Co.

Miss Elizabeth Porter, a nurse, of Guy street, was called to Mineral Springs, Adams county, on a professional call.

Officials Will Help

The city officials have accepted an invitation to participate in the patriotic parade Friday evening.

"Coffee is Coffee" until you try Golden Sun Coffee. Then there's only one coffee.

Up To Jones

John Jones has been asked by the city to provide a better fence at his vacant lot on Chillicothe street north of Fourth.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED SORE, ACHING FEET

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet, swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ."

"TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magical; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired.

Get a 25 cent box at any drug or department store, and get relief.

Was A Visitor

J. C. Woolam, prominent farmer of Vanceburg, Ky., was in the city on business Wednesday.

Move Here

Frank Baker and family moved Tuesday from Fullerton to Court street.

SCENIC THEATRE
FOUR REELS OF PICTURES DAILY
5c ALWAYS 5c

Man Tried To Flee Via The Cellar When Police Arrived

A police raiding party, headed by Capt. Grant Couper, surprised John Hicks, an N. & W. machinist helper, of No. 1824 Eighth street, at the home of Charles E7. Salsbury, an N. & W. engineer, of No. 813 Murray street, Thursday morning at 9:20.

Hicks attempted to escape from the house by way of the cellar, but was detected in the effort and captured. He was locked up at the city prison, while Mrs. Olive Salsbury, wife of the engineer, on account of her two small children, was permitted to remain at home, with orders to appear in police court at 9 o'clock.

The police claim to have damaging evidence

The home has been under surveillance for some time past, Salsbury having reported to the police officials that Hicks had despoiled his home and visited there every time he was out on a run. He was called out for a run to Cincinnati late Wednesday night and the raid was decided upon.

Hicks has been married, but is divorced from his wife. His mother, Mrs. Kitchen, came to headquarters Thursday morning in company with Mrs. Salsbury and one of the latter's little girls.

Police had heard that Hicks had made threats to shoot his way out of the house should he ever be caught there, and was reported to be carrying a gun. They found some cartridges, but no pistol.

Hicks pleaded not guilty in court Thursday, insisting that he had done nothing wrong, save to play cards with Mrs. Salsbury; that he frequently passed there and often used their telephone. The woman reluctantly admitted that Hicks had been coming to her home since last October. She denied that he was the cause of the troubles between her and her husband and said she did not know Salsbury knew of Hicks' visits until police told her Wednesday night.

The court spoke of the case referring to Hicks as a leach who had broken up a man's home and then still had the nerve to try "to get by" with it. He fined him $50 and costs and sentenced him to six months in the Cincinnati workhouse. The woman was fined $10 and costs and was sharply rebuked for her misconduct.

FOR SALE

Saturday, June fifth, at one p. m., at door of court house, fine residence property, 1319 Park avenue. Sale made because owners leaving city. Proper parties may arrange to retain present building association loan. For full particulars inquire of Bannon & Bannon, attorneys. adv 15 e o d to 29

Complain of Crossing

The attention of Agent George E. Wharff has been called to complaints about horses getting caught and falling at the B. & O. S.-W. crossing, Fifth and Market streets. The boards are reported placed too far from the rails.

MEETING OF B. T. C.

Members of the Building Trades Council met in regular weekly session Wednesday evening, but no action of interest to the public was taken, according to the business agent, Harry Strong, this morning. Some of them attended a meeting at the Central Labor Council hall on Wednesday afternoon, but the discussion was not made public.

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May Locate In The West

Myers and Joseph Thornton of Lynchburg, Va., who were the guests of their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Thornton, of Seventh street, for a week left Thursday for the far west. They are looking for a location on a farm or a large merchandise business.

Installing "Jack Frost"

R. L. Starlin of Eighth street is in Eckman, W. Va., where he is superintending the installation of a "Jack Frost" ice plant for the Portsmouth Engine company at the Pocahontas Iron company.

Fixing Feed Box

Roy Lynn has a force of carpenters at work fitting up a large new feed box at his boarding stable on Second street.

On Hales Creek

Charles W. Wilson, the B. & O. S. W. round house foreman, spent Wednesday morning at Hales Creek on company business.

Dangerous Situation

Director Joseph Lake, of the public safety department, has called Chief McCarty's attention to a dangerous situation in the Hilltop district. A cellar in a vacant lot near Kinney Lane and Baird avenue is reported full of water, making it dangerous for children who might play around there.

Sidewalks Wanted

Ed Cunningham, of the Buena Vista pike, has been requested by the city to improve his property at Kinney Lane and Baird avenue with a sidewalk.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio, May 20 1915.
(75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood Stage Feet	Height of River Ft.	Change since last report	Precipitation inches
Franklin	15	2.3 F	-0.2	00
Greensboro	18	7.4 F	-0.1	00
Pittsburgh	22	6.1 R	-0.1	00
Wheeling	36	8.8 F	0	00
Zanesville	25	8.0 F	0	.06
Parkersb'g	36	5.3 F	0.6	00
Charleston	30	7.6 F	-0.9	.10
Dam No. 26		4.5 F	0	.06
Catlettsb'g	50	6.7 F	-0.8	.06
Portsmouth	50	7.1 F	-0.4	.09
Cincinnati	50	12.4 F	-0.1	.46

FORECAST

Rain over upper Ohio valley tonight and probably Friday.

River will probably begin rising tonight or Friday.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river is again slowly falling, with a stage of 7.1 ft. recorded on the local gauge Thursday morning.

Friday's packet departures: Greenland down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m.; Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m.; Tacoma up for Charleston at 2 p. m.; Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

Good Nights

are enjoyed by those in good health. The perfect digestion, clear system, and pure blood upon which sound health depends, will be given you by

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Hanna's Green Seal Paint

is a natural beautifier. It adds to the beauty of cottage or mansion.

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is prepared paint, made according to a scientific formula—the result of years of investigation and test. It is the BEST. "Made-to-wear".

Forty-nine colors.

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PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

THE LATEST FRIENDSHIP BRACELET

Buy a "Bob O Link" today and ask your friends for a link of friendship, have their initials engraved on it and in a few days you will have a pretty sterling silver bracelet like the illustration and a remembrance you will cherish in years to come. "Bob O Links" are only 25c each. It's the best novelty in years.

Otto Zoellner & Bro.
415 CHILLICOTHE ST.

FULLERTON'S
Moving Picture House

is one of the best in the Eastern part of Kentucky. Shows are given Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights and Sunday afternoon. All the latest pictures including high class Wild West shows and comedies.

J. F. DAVIS, Manager.

THE FIRST THING A GOOD DOCTOR PRESCRIBES

A good physic and liver stimulant is usually the first remedy prescribed by the physician when called to a case. He does so because he knows that most of our ills are directly or indirectly due to constipation, sluggish liver, etc.; therefore his first concern is to reach and remove the probable cause of the illness, and the system, relieved of this poisonous feces, again becomes normal.

And that is exactly the idea behind Sentanel Laxative Tablets, a remedy for constipation, indigestion, and liver troubles, every ingredient of which has been passed on and approved by an eminent chemist, which you or any of your family may take and which easily and painlessly, but thoroughly and effectively, will cleanse your system, stimulate your liver, thereby ridding your organs and your blood of many of the underlying causes of illness and trouble.

Sentanel Laxatives contain no calomel. They are mild yet very effective. Do not gripe nor irritate.

We know Sentanel Laxatives will satisfy you. So positive are we of this that we sell Sentanels under a broad money-back guarantee, viz.: If in your judgment they don't give you the results you expect, send us the empty box; we will refund your money.

Sentanels are on sale at your druggist's. Ten doses, 10c. Send for a box, take one tonight and make tomorrow bright. A physician's trial package free, if you mention this advertisement when you write. Sentanel Remedies Co., 505 Union Central Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

New Wash Dresses!

Ladies' Wash Dresses in Ginghams, Tissue, Voile, Lace Cloth, Dimity, Linene from ..... 75c to $8.00 each
Wash Skirts, Pique, Palm Beach, Linen and Gabardine at ..... $1.50 to $5.00 each
Palm Beach Suits at ..... $12.50 to $15.00
Linen Suits at ..... $12.50 each

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RENFAX MUSICAL MOTION PICTURES At The EXHIBIT To-Day and To-Morrow | Big Show Both Days 3 Reels Of Pictures Besides | ORCHESTRA MUSIC | 5c

CLAIM LOCAL ITALIAN WAS KILLED BY WOMAN

Was Fabbisho De Santis, a former well known local Italian, who left here in March for Italy to visit home folks near Naples, doped and robbed of his valuables including several hundred dollars in money, gold watch and chain and a diamond ring?

That is the story that has drifted back from Naples and the information was received by relatives of the dead man, who it is claimed was doped and robbed by a woman, who De Santis is supposed to have met on the steamer Europe on which he sailed for Naples on March 18.

On April 2 his dead body was found in a pool of blood in the Hotel Humbert in Naples, where De Santis registered. A woman, who it is claimed knows a whole lot about the tragic death that De Santis is alleged to have met with was later located and placed under arrest, according to word that has been received here. The woman it is asserted was in the chorus of a grand opera company that sailed on the steamer Europe the same day that De Santis left on it.

It is supposed that an acquaintance sprung up between De Santis and the woman, who faces a serious charge, according to details of De Santis' death which have reached this city. De Santis was to have left Naples for his old home near there two days after he registered at the Hotel Humbert. Intimate friends here of the dead man claim that De Santis has two daughters living near Naples and that his aged parents are still living. Prior to leaving Portsmouth De Santis, who was a fine looking man, was foreman of the hand work department in the plant of the Selby shoe company. He was well known here and the first story of his death was to the effect that he dropped dead of heart trouble just after he had walked down the gang plank of the steamer on which he sailed. Friends claim that De Santis was to have returned to this city after a six months leave of absence as he was not in the best of health, his friends assert.

MAKE WORK EASIER

Portsmouth People Are pleased to Learn How it Has Been Done

It's pretty hard to attend to duties

With a constantly aching back;

With annoying urinary disorders.

Doan's Kidney Pills have made work easier.

So thousands have gratefully testified.

They're for bad backs.

They're for weak kidneys.

Portsmouth people gratefully recommend Doan's.

Mrs. W. Klinker, 718 Ninth St., Portsmouth, says: "I suffered awfully from kidney ailments and I think a cold brought on the trouble. When I was washing, sharp pains caught me in the small of my back and I could hardly straighten up. My kidneys acted too freely and the kidney secretions were unnatural. Finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, and they gave me relief right away. By the time I had finished the box, I was completely cured."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Klinker had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

ARE HUSTLING WORK

Contractors Boxley and Boxley, who will make the south approach of the C. & O. bridge at Siloam, Ky., Wednesday received two carloads of steam shovels and active work on their big contract is now under way.

Agent D. A. Grimes visited the scene Wednesday and he stated Thursday that the contractors would soon have a large force of men on the job. Work is now being carried on both sides of the river on the new C. & O. line from Siloam to Columbus.

THE TRIALS OF A NEW MINISTER

Rev. F. B. Osborne, former director of religious and social work at the local Y. M. C. A., who is now pastor of the Piketon M. E. church, will give a special lecture at the Sciotoville M. E. church Friday evening, May 28th. Rev. Osborne will talk on "The Trials of a New Minister."

The male quartet of the church will furnish the music for the evening.

MR. MILES EXPLAINS

In explanation of the charge of selling impure lard preferred by a representative of the Ohio Agricultural commission, S. W. Miles, a Gallia street meat dealer, states that he handles two grades of lard—one that is strictly pure and one that has a small percent of compound in it. Only pure lard is sold over the counter and to any and all customers except to some few who make a special request for compound lard. A clerk is claimed to have mistaken the compound lard for the pure lard in making the sale which brought Mr. Miles to the attention of the agricultural commission.

Methodists Will Pray For Peace

Washington, May 20—In behalf of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, Bishop Earl Cranston, of Washington, has made public a special "Call to Prayer," appointed to be read in all the Methodist churches.

"Not once a day only, nor merely when convenient, but in our every thought of God * * * let the cry of our hearts incessantly ascend for the peace of Europe and the world," says the appeal.

Bishop Cranston says: "Your chief pastors have commissioned me as their voice of the church, to call every member of our communion to sympathetic fellowship with the Savior of men in His unceasing intercessions with the Father in behalf of His erring children, and in the soothing of the angered hearts of men into patience and compassion toward all their neighbors, to the end that the rulers and peoples now at war may cease to kill, and learn to love as children of the One Father in Heaven."

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv. 11-tf

C. & O. AGENTS MEET

D. A. Grimes, local agent for the C. & O. has returned from Ashland, where he attended a meeting of C. & O. agents all along the line, 35 being present. In the absence of J. T. Earle, F. J. Ginn of Ironton presided. The meeting provided for an interchange of ideas and Mr. Grimes says it was one of the best the agents ever held.

The Smile of Satisfaction

never comes off the face of either painter or house-owner, when Carter White Lead is used.

Buy it from
C. W. Abbott
J. F. Davis Drug Company
Hibbs Hardware Company
H. Rottinghaus Sommer Bros.

"The White White Lead"

Leases Building

Samuel Greenberg, a well known West End merchant, has secured a lease on the Findeis building, ground floor room at No. 515 Second street, and will be given possession July 1st.

Mr. Greenberg will move his present stores in the Friel and Thomas buildings on Market street and his store on Gallia street to the new location, which was until recently occupied by the Globe clothing company. Some improvements will be made to the room.

BAILEY POST ATTENTION

For the purpose of taking part in the parade the members of Bailey Post will assemble at the Grand Army hall Friday evening, May 21 at 6:45 o'clock, sharp. Automobile transportation will be furnished the members of the Post and their ladies. Boys, bring the old girls with you. A small flag carried by each comrade on this occasion would be appropriate and proper, so bring them with you. By a cordial invitation extended to us by the Sons of Veterans we will be the guests at a patriotic meeting to be held immediately after the parade given by the several orders and societies in the high school auditorium on Gallia street. It is the duty of every comrade who possibly can to turn out on this occasion, thereby showing our appreciation for the high honor conferred upon us by these patriotic people.

CREAD MILSTEAD, Com.
W. H. WILLIAMS, Adj.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the sickness and death of our mother, Elizabeth Jane Koch, and the M. E. Sunday School for their beautiful floral offering. Also Revs. Lawwill and Weaver for their kind words and the choir for the beautiful songs.

THE CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN. adv 20-1

Chicago Salesman Here

L. C. Langdon, of Chicago, traveling salesman for the Selby Shoe company, arrived in the city Wednesday.

Miss Noel Much Better

Miss Alice Noel, of the Chillicothe pike, who was injured several days ago by being struck with a motorcycle while walking near the post-office, has about recovered from her injuries and is able to be out again.

WHEELERSBURG ALUMNI MEETS SATURDAY NIGHT

The first annual reunion of the Alumni Association of the Wheelersburg high school will be held Saturday evening, May 22nd, at 7:30 o'clock, in the basement of the high school building. A mistake was made in printing the cards to read May 29th.

A delicious spread will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Wheelersburg M. E. church, after which an after-dinner speaking program will be carried out. Attorney C. M. Searl, of this city, a member of the association, will officiate as toast-master, and will deliver the welcome address to the Class of 1915. Louis Smith, a member of the class will respond. Other speakers are "Memories" by Mrs. Ray Lindsay Chute; "The Old Red School House" by Mrs. James Turner; "The School of the Future", Supt. Turner; "The Alumni Association", by Jennie Mayhew. Wells Crawford of this city is president of the association.

Ninety-seven graduates of the Wheelersburg high school are enrolled in the association, and notices have been sent to all of them. A large attendance is looked for.

The menu consists of the following:

Fruit Wafers
Cold Roast Chicken
Sandwiches
Radishes Pickles
Lettuce Salad
Olives Nuts
Cottage Cheese Unsweetened Nuts
Neapolitan Ice Cream Cake
Coffee

Yellow Press Scored

James T. Lynn, a former Portsmouth citizen, but now of Detroit, Mich., and who has many relatives and friends here, in an address before the Natural Gas Men's Association, in session in Cincinnati, denounced the "yellow press".

Mr. Lynn, in part, said:

"One of the prime causes for recent industrial depression is the campaign of vilification and misrepresentation against business that has been carried on by the 'yellow' press, political demagogue, and professional labor agitator. This has resulted in potential unrest and uneasiness. Society is disrupted, business seriously disturbed, and confidence in American securities greatly shaken.

"One of the most dangerous and insidious influences operating to destroy business, to disrupt society, and even to undermine the government itself is the socialistic and paternalistic propaganda cunningly concealed under the alluring slogan, 'The people's rights!'"

To Survey For Sewers

The completion of his survey for the hill-top sewerage system, or so much of it that may be used for storm and bath water, has been urged upon City Engineer George Wilhelm as the plan is to be approved by the state board of health, which will review the plans as soon as submitted.

Sober and competent workmen with Brelmer, the Painter. 11f

"Jit" Drivers Are Peeved

Huntington, May 20—Although it was said today that jitney bus owners and operators have as yet formulated no definite plans to fight against an ordinance passed by the board of city commissioners Monday afternoon, it was held certain that steps would be taken looking toward the repeal of at least a part of those sections which the drivers claim are obnoxious.

Thirty jitney bus drivers and operators last night met and discussed the provisions of the new ordinance and were practically unanimous in condemning certain portions of it.

Try "GETS-IT," It's Magic for Corns!

New, Simple, Common-Sense Way

You will never know how really easy it is to get rid of a corn, until you have tried "GETS-IT." Nothing like it has ever been produced. It takes less time to apply it than it does to read this. It

Kai-yi! Corn-pains in Every Nerve! Use "GETS-IT;" It "Gets" Every Corn Surely, Quickly!

will dumfound you, especially if you have tried everything else for corns. Two drops applied in a few seconds—that's all. The corn shrivels, then comes right off, painlessly, without fussing or trouble. If you have ever made a fat bundle out of your toe with bandages; used thick, corn pressing cotton-rings; corn-pulling salves; corn-loosing plasters—well, you'll appreciate the difference when you use "GETS-IT." Your corn-agony will vanish. Cutting and gouging with knives, razors, files and scissors, and the danger of blood poison are done away with. Try "GETS-IT" tonight for any corn, callus, wart or bunion. Never fails.

"GETS IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

What Causes Sore Feet?

Aching, burning, and sweaty feet; corns, callouses, and sore bunions all originate from injured tissues. But there is no necessity to endure foot torture a single moment. Any of these troubles can be instantly relieved and permanently cured by using the following scientific treatment that acts through the pores and removes the cause: Two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in warm foot bath; soak the feet fifteen minutes, gently rubbing sore parts. You can get Calocide from any drug store. A twenty-five-cent package is usually enough to cure the worst feet. Medical Formula. Dayton, O.

TO HONOR THE BOYS OF '61 ON FRIDAY EVENING

The committees in charge of the big patriotic meeting to be given in the High School auditorium Friday evening to do honor to the grand old boys of 61-65, have about completed their arrangements for the meeting and big parade before the meeting, but are still busy as beavers perfecting the various details that everything may go off smoothly when the time rolls around.

The program has been causing some trouble. It was decided that all speeches, without a special dispensation, must be limited to from four to seven minutes each. Deputy County Treasurer Gilbert Dodds, who is to be the "big noise" for the Sons of Veterans, came up with a strenuous protest. He vows he can not possibly tell all the good things he has stored up for that occasion in less than 70 minutes, but the committee simply clipped off the cipher and told him to do the best he could and tell the rest next time.

Space must be left on the program for Governor Willis and other distinguished notables if they should take a notion to attend the meeting and space on the program is not in any great quantity.

The vacancy on the program left by the failure to secure the Pilgrim Singers has been filled by another splendid quartet. Space is also asked for one or two vocal solos. Everybody wishes to do honor to the grand old boys of the G. A. R.

A place on program is also to be reserved for the inimitable entertainer, Harry Porter, who classes well up with Charlie Chaplin as a mirth provoker.

Several other particularly fine numbers will be on the program. The entire program will be printed Friday evening.

Unless all indications go for naught the parade is to be a splendid pageant. It will be headed by the safety department and the city's finest, followed by the grand marshal, Harry W. Matthott and staff—one aide from each order participating, all mounted. Then will come the Christian church band and the several orders. The Sons of Veterans' Drum Corps and Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans and Vienna Camp's Auxiliary will precede the Grand Army of the Republic and their ladies and Women's Relief Corps in automobiles, as thanks to the generosity of many splendid gentlemen, plenty of cars have been provided to carry all in the parade. The full list to date of those who have donated their cars for this occasion follows: James S. Thomas, Edgar Thompson, B. H. Dillon, Frank Appel, H. T. Bannon, T. C. Beatty, D. A. Alspaugh, P. E. Selby, Filmore Musser, Edward Stritmatter, John T. Breece, M. A. Caldwell, M. H. Shumway, W. B. Anderson, George E. Kricker, J. T. McCormickk, W. E. Cook, H. E. Taylor, John E. Williams, Mark W. Selby, Thomas Dupuy, George A. Goodman, Fred N. Tynes, Moses Lehman, Lee Watkins, R. B. Cunningham, James A. Distel, W. J. Friel. Besides these the committee have in reserve the Selby auto truck which will carry a regiment. Any others wishing to donate cars notify Harry M. Sickles, Times office.

A member of the committee who called on Mayor Frick was kindly given permission to burn all the red fire they wished to illuminate the parade. Detachments of the Boy Scouts will be on duty all along the line of march and will attend to this detail, while George Warster, Win Nye, "Lou" Schloss and other patriotic souls along the line of march promise a great illumination.

The official general order and full information will be given in Friday's paper. All reports of aides and committees will be in hands of grand marshal this evening.

Messrs. Gilbert E. Dodds, K. N. DeLong and E. W. Hicks of the committee on decorations request all merchants and business men located along the line of the parade to display Old Glory Friday and illuminate their buildings during parade.

Guard Against Accidents

The city has requested the Carlyle Paving Brick Company to instruct its men using the city pumping station roadway to use every safeguard by closing the safety gates at the underground crossing to prevent railroad accidents.

To Attend Funeral

Frank Smith, who is located in Stockton, Ill., will arrive here Friday to attend the funeral services of the late Frank Drown, who passed away in Columbus, Wednesday. Mr. Smith was for many years master mechanic of the B. & O. shops in Chillicothe.

Complaints Made

Complaints about offensive and overflowing vaults at Nos. 1416 and 1418 Ninth street have been referred to Arthur Hunton, city sanitary officer, for investigation. He has also been ordered to notify J. A. Ridings that unless he takes out a sanitary sewer tap at his Chillicothe street property prosecution will follow.

Highest standard materials used by Brelmer, the Painter. 11f

Catching Fish

Dolph Frederick and Carl and Howard Monk have been meeting with great success fishing near the Bannon farm the past week.

AGED TAX COLLECTOR

Restored To Health By Vinol

Corinth, Miss.—"I am a city tax collector and seventy-four years of age. I was in a weak, run-down condition. My druggist told me about Vinol. I tried it and in a week noticed considerable improvement; I continued its use and now I have gained twenty pounds in weight, and feel much stronger. I consider Vinol a fine tonic to create strength for old people."—J. A. Pigue.

We guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, for all run-down, weak and debilitated conditions.

Frank Amann, druggist, Portsmouth, Ohio, and at leading drug stores everywhere.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The County Treasurer announces that the books for the collection of June taxes and street assessments are now open and urges the early payment of taxes. You are requested to bring your last receipt along, as this saves much time in locating your property. We are anxious to avoid the rush which always occurs during the last few days before the books close. For this reason we have prepared to open the books early and hope the taxpayers will take advantage of this and pay their taxes earlier than has been the custom.

M. J. CALDWELL,
County Treasurer.

A Part Of The Community

It is no boast to say that our two utilities are absolute necessities in the development and progress of Portsmouth. Possibly, the town might in a way, get along without either of them, but it wouldn't be much of a town in the opinion of the outside world, and so far there is nothing known or devised that could exactly fill their places.

We would direct attention, however, to the fact that it has never been our policy to be content with a place as an indispensible necessity. It has always been our desire and our aim to make our utilities more than that a real comfort and a distinct pride in possession, the pride that comes with the very best at a fair and reasonable cost.

We don't say it for ourselves, because there is no call to, every visitor to the city declaring that we have the best street car service of any other place near our size. Our cars are unusually large and comfortable. They are the latest in device and much care and labor is expended in keeping them creditable in appearance and cleanly. The number of them and the arrangement of our schedule is such that we handle demands, even the most extraordinary, with unusual facility. Not so infrequently we carry in a day as many passengers as there are inhabitants of the city, and we take them up and set them down quickly and with a remarkable freedom from accidents and mishaps. Excellent as has been our achievement in this direction, it is going to be materially enhanced before the year is over, because before 1916 arrives we will have our interurban cars running and practically our whole city lines will be double tracked, enabling us to handle traffic still more expeditiously. That's efficiency, but we have something upon which we place equal stress and that is the quality of service—the treatment of patrons. We endeavor to stretch accommodations to the limit. Associations and societies find us ever ready to make such special arrangements as they may desire for a particular occasion, and the individual passenger is treated not only civilly, but cordially. Our people are told they are a part of ourselves and a part of the community. It is in their hands to keep us close together or drive us apart. We want every patron to feel that we are glad not only to have his nickle, but we like his company, and while he is on our cars he is with his friends. Right proud we are that our employees as a rule respond intelligently and heartily to our purpose.

Travel where you may, you can't find any better electric service than we give and mighty few places can you find as good. Some people say we have a monopoly and can do as we please; well, that isn't exactly so but it certainly does please us to try to please the public and our private patrons. No one can claim we have been or are extortionate in our terms, nor that we have ever been lacking in either courtesy or promptness in our dealings. We've got our aims and our ambitions with this service. We make it the best possible and we want to put it in every business house, factory and home in the city. We are moving to that end by giving a superior service at a reasonable price. And we notice this, that once we place our service in a home it is never discontinued.

Another thing we would call attention to is that we are one of the largest taxpayers in the city. We help keep up the streets, we pay our share of the lights that we furnish, we contribute proportionately to our assessment for your fire and police protection. We are a distinctively Portsmouth institution contributing our full share towards her prosperity and paying our share of her burdens. In good faith we are entitled to the fair patronage and consideration of the public.

Yours to serve

The Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light Co.

AMERICAN, CALLED SPY, COMMITS SUICIDE

ON TRIAL FOR LIFE, HE HANGS HIMSELF IN ENGLISH PRISON

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ITALY MAKES STRONG DEMANDS UPON AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT

DELIVERS ULTIMATUM ASKING LAND RIGHTS; PREPARATIONS FOR WAR ARE BEING RUSHED

ROME, MAY 20, (VIA PARIS)---THE MINIMUM DEMANDS MADE UPON AUSTRIA IN BEHALF OF ITALY BY FOREIGN MINISTER SONNINO WERE:

"FIRST---THE CESSION OF THE ENTIRE PROVINCE OF TRENT (PART OF THE AUSTRIAN TYROL) ACCORDING TO THE FRONTIER OF THE KINGDOM OF ITALY IN 1811.

SECOND--- EASTERN FRIUELI, COMPRISING MALBORGETH, PLEZZO, TOLMINO, GRADISCA, GORITZ, MONFALCONE, COMEN AND AS FAR SOUTH AS NABRESSNA.

THIRD---TRIEST, CAPO D'ISTRIA AND PIRANO (THE LAST TWO IN ISTRIA) TO FORM A NEW STATE INDEPENDENT FROM AUSTRIA.

FOURTH---THE ISLANDS OF CURZOLA, LISSA, LESINA, LAGOSTA, CAZZA, AND MELEDA (OFF THE COAST OF LOWER DALMATIA) TO BE CEDED TO ITALY.

FIFTH---THE ABANDONMENT BY AUSTRIA OF HER INTERESTS IN ALBANIA, ACKNOWLEDGING ITALIAN SOVERIGNTY OVER AVLONA.

Rome, May 19.—(Via Paris, May 20)—Diplomatic documents which disclosed each successive step in the negotiations which resulted in Italy's denunciation of her treaty of alliance with Austria and Germany are contained in the Green Book issued by the Italian government.

The history of diplomatic intercourse begins with a telegram sent by Foreign Minister Sonnino to the Duke of Avarana, Italian ambassador at Vienna on December 9, 1914, instructing him to notify Count Von Berchtold, then Austrian foreign minister, that the Austrian advance in Servia constituted a fact covered in article seven of the triple alliance treaty entitling Italy to compensations. Count Von Berchtold replied that his opinion did not agree with this view, but on December 20 intimated that he had begun to change his mind.

Baron Burian, who had succeeded Count Von Berchtold, tried to evade any definite expression of opinion. The Duke of Avarna, on February 22, telegraphed that Austria evidently was trying to gain time but that she was undoubtedly being pressed by Germany. On March 9 Austria consented to discuss compensations. Foreign Minister Sonnino laid bare the cardinal points of the Italian demands. Baron Burian answered that Austria would not accept. Prince Von Bunlow, the German ambassador in Rome, on March 20, in the name of Germany, guaranteed the execution, after the conclusion of peace, of any demands on Austria. Signor Sonnino agreed to resume negotiations on the condition that Vienna would make concrete proposals.

Seven days later Baron Burian asked Italy to give formal agreement to the following clauses:

First—The maintenance of benevolent political and economic neutrality throughout the war.

Second—Austria to have a free hand in the Balkans.

Third—The renunciation on the part of Italy of any further compensation.

Fourth—The maintenance of the existing Italo-Austrian accord concerning Albania.

On April 2 Baron Burian added that, in exchange for these pledges, Austria would give to Italy the districts of Roveredo, Riva and Trentino as well as a few villages. Signor Sonnino said he considered the demands contemptible. Nevertheless they were permitted to stand.

The rumors of a separate Austro Russian peace persisting, Rome asked Vienna for a definite answer. In reply Vienna added a small zone in the Province of Trent to the Italian compensation.

On April 25 the Duke of Avarna reported that the Austrian government did not believe Italy would ever make war and consequently Vienna regarded a continuance of the discussion as useless.

On receipts of this report Signor Sonnino, considering any accord impossible, denounced the alliance with Austria Hungary.

He said that last summer Austria Hungary, without reaching any agreement with Italy and without giving Italy any notice whatever, even disdaining the advice of Italy that moderation be observed, had sent to Serbia on July 23 an ultimatum which was the cause of the present conflagration. Thus Austria Hungary had disturbed the status quo in the Balkans, creating a situation which was of advantage to her alone. Such a course of violence made benevolent neutrality im-

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DECLARES HE COULD NOT BEAR TO MOUNT SCAFFOLD

CONFESSES HE HAS BEEN SOLDIER, LEAVES NOTE

London, May 20 (10:14 a. m.)—Anton Kuepferle, who claimed to be an American citizen who once lived in Brooklyn and who has been on trial charged with giving military information to the enemies of Great Britain, committed suicide last night in Brixton prison. He is reported to have hanged himself.

The trial of Kuepferle began Tuesday at the Old Bailey police court. The charge against the prisoner was that he attempted to communicate to Germany information respecting British warships and military forces.

Kuepferle pleaded not guilty. The prosecution contended that while he claimed to be a naturalized American citizen, he was in reality a German.

Kuepferle was charged with writing a letter to an address in a neutral country in Europe giving valuable facts regarding English military positions. It was asserted that while the letter appeared on its face to be an innocent commercial communication, it was found to be interlined in invisible ink with military information written in the German language.

Kuepferle arrived in Liverpool February 14. He showed a passport signed by Secretary of State William J. Bryan issued ten days prior to his sailing from New York. In writing the letter which resulted in his arrest he gave his home address as Brooklyn. He represented himself to be a woolen merchant. From Liverpool he went to Dublin and then to London where he was arrested February 16.

His hearing was resumed yesterday in Old Bailey but was in Camera, "in the interests of the national safety."

Kuepferle left a message written on a slate bearing testimony to the fairness of his trial. He confessed he was a soldier, said he wished to die as a soldier, and declared he could not bear to mount the scaffold as a spy.

When court opened this morning for the resumption of the trial, the attorney general, Lord Reading, announced the death of the prisoner to the judges.

"Since the rise of this court last night," the attorney general said, "this man Kuepferele has committed suicide in Brixton prison. He was in a special observation cell under practically continuous observation, but during a short interval he seized the opportunity of taking his own life."

Chief Warden Cook, who is in charge of the prison, has testified that last night the night patrol officer, a warden named Perry came to him and said, "I cannot see the prisoner." Warden Cook immediately arose and opening the cell door he found the prisoner hanging by the neck from a ventilator in a corner behind a door. He had used a silk scraf to commit suicide and he was hanging clear of the floor. Warden Cook cut the scraf and summoned the prison doctor. The man's body was still warm but he could not be revived.

PASTORS DISCUSS PATRIOTISM.

Cincinnati, May 20.—Religion, patriotism and internationalism was the general topic for discussion on the program of the Western Unitarian conference at its last session here today. Rev. Charles M. Perry, of Iowa City, Iowa, was expected to discuss "The Basis of Nationalism", Rev. Frederick J. Cull, of Toledo, "The Basis of Internationalism", and Rev. Maxwell Savage, of Louisville, "International Religion."

Italy's King Pardons Many Rail Strikers

Rome, May 19 (Via Paris, May 20)—King Victor Emmanuel, it is asserted, has decided to grant a general pardon to all railway employees who were punished because of the part they took in the strike recently. This action is said to be designed as another step to bring about a closer union of all parties in the country.

Reports received from every university in Italy are to the effect that the students of each will volunteer in a body if war is declared.

"Dispatches from Verona say that Italians whose homes are in Austria and Italy are pouring across the frontier by thousands every day because they are fearful of reprisals in the event of hostilities.

The authorities at Genoa have been ordered to keep a close watch on the German steamers. Informed at that port, it is believed that captains may attempt to escape after a declaration of war or to blow up the vessels.

ENGLISH GENERAL KILLED

London, May 20—A British casualty list issued today includes the names of 110 officers and 1700 men. Nine hundred casualties in the Australian ranks on the Gallipoli Peninsula are reported, as well as naval losses as 150 in the same area. The list of wounded is headed by the name of Gen. Sir William Birdwood, commander-in-chief of the Australian forces in the Dardanelles.

Gen. Birdwood's military career began in 1883, when he was appointed a lieutenant in the Royal Scots Fusiliers. He has seen service in South Africa and India and several times has been mentioned in dispatches for heroism. He was severely wounded in South Africa.

SAYS GERMAN EFFORTS HAVE FAILED UTTERLY

London, May 20.—A Russian official statement issued at Petrograd received by the Reuter Telegram company, says:

"Until now the Germans dare not admit they were dislodged from Shavli on the 11th, and they talk of repulsing all sorts of Russian attacks against the town. Nevertheless, our front in this region passes to a considerable distance west of Shavli. German official communications augment more than four fold the actual number of prisoners taken at the crossing of the Dubysa river.

"All German efforts against our position east of Drohobyez in Galicia have failed. Up to the present time there was only a single regiment of Russian cavalry garrisoned in the town of Drohobyez. These troops fell quickly behind the infantry with insignificant losses. The Austrians, nevertheless, had the audacity to claim officially that they took five thousand prisoners at Drohobyez."

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Rain tonight and Friday; warmer tonight in south portion.

Kentucky—Unsettled tonight and Friday; probably local showers.

West Virginia—Rain tonight and probably Friday.

Famous Belfry of Bruges.

The Belfry of Bruges is probably the most famous in the world. It was built at the end of the thirteenth century. It is 363 feet high, and possesses a carillon of 48 bells, regarded as the finest in Europe.

SWEDEN SUSPENDS TRAFFIC

London, May 20—Swedish steamship companies whose boats ply between Stockholm, Norrokopping, London and Hull, have decided to suspend their services owing to the constant interruptions to traffic caused by German warships in the Baltic Sea, which have resulted in serious delays and made trade impracticable.

CABINET CRISIS WAS CAUSED BY KITCHENER

London, May 20.—The cabinet crisis, according to the usually well informed parliamentary correspondent of the Daily News, was precipitated by Lord Kitchener's failure to keep the ministry informed regarding supplies of ammunition sent to the front. Huge supplies of shells had been sent but the proportion of shrapnel is reported to have been greater than that of high explosives, where as the army required a preponderance of high explosives.

Opposition leaders who were in possession of these facts, says the Daily News, threatened a debate in the house of commons to prove their accuracy. Such a debate would have undermined gravely the authority of the government. Coupled with the admiralty quarrel and the resignation of Lord Fisher, the paper asserts, it probably would have meant the downfall of the government which would have been considered lamentable in the midst of war. The moment was seized, therefore, by representatives of both sides anxious for a coalition cabinet and the government assented to this solution to avert a worse crisis.

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TEST AND SHARMAN PUT KIBOSH ON LEXINGTON

The Frisky Colts Are Blanked 11-0; 2 Home Runs Made

**Sharman's hit was a dream,
Over the fence it sailed.
He's getting the applause by the reams
But oh my, what if he had failed!**

Portsmouth slugged its way to the leadership of the Ohio State league Wednesday.

The Lexington Colts, pace setters until they reached this city, were routed by a 11 to 0 score. The first invasion of Manager Howard Guyn's team was singularly unsuccessful, his team losing the opening game of a series of four by a lopsided score at Millbrook yesterday.

Lamming the ball to all corners of the lot and over the fence the frisky, fretful, free-reined Colts never had a look in. It was a veritable biff party on the part of Portsmouth with Ralph Sharman and Austin McHenry leading in the hitting. Sharman led the onslaught with a homer, a three sacker and a single. McHenry, Adams county's pride, whaled one to the pennant pole for an all-the-way-round-trip and he zipped a double to left.

Sharman lifted one over the left center field fence that was conceded to be the longest home run ever made since Portsmouth edged its way into the Ohio State league. Getting one right through the slot the stockily built centerfielder laced it over the D. & O. sign and jogged around the sacks. The wallop cleared the fence 20 feet. It was an awful smash, one of those drippingly sweet rifleshots that bring joy to the fans and fattens the batting average of the ash wielder.

But getting sort of this home run league there was nothing to the opening game but Portsmouth. With Test breezing along like a high powered machine that had just poked into high the Colts were helpless from the start. Mixing cool judgment with fine fielding, perfect control and a matchless assortment of foolers, Test galloped in ahead of the entire field, leaving the Lexington Colts at the post.

The only time they saw the barrier was when they poked it for the get away. Gaining momentum as inning after inning was clipped off Portsmouth simply trotted home, Lexington offering but feeble resistance. It was their initial appearance and garbed in blue suits with white trimmings they made a splendid appearance. But "unies" have never won a ball game. It is what is stacked up in them that comes through. That's the dope.

Unable to stand the pace Pitcher Pace paced right out of the pitchers' box in the fifth inning when a cluster of nine clean wallops, a pass and an error netted eight runs. Guyn sent Pace to left and he finished the game.

At the break away Diltz was passed. Dilly dallied one down the first base corner for a neat sacrifice. McClelland's toss put Sharman in on a 3 bye. Mills singled to short and Diltz scored when McClelland hit a spectator in the bleachers. Spencer popped gently to Jones.

The Colts mixed a hit with three outs in their half, McClelland running one through short with two strikes on him. Portsmouth got three in in the second, but Test, Diltz and Dilly were disposed of without a run scoring. It was in the third that Sharman opened up his 42 inch centimeter and shot the ball over the garden wall. It soared over the fence with the ease that kids ooze under a circus tent and the club took the starch out of Pace who was done for the day.

The real cannonading was uncorked in the eventful fifth. There was a shower of bingles that fell all around the frightened Colts. Diltz started it with a smash to center. Dilly followed with a rap across the infield. Sharman slugged a triple to right, the Dill boys walking in. Mills and Spencer hit and Caton sacrificed. Bush, McHenry and Test joined the Slugging Club as charity members.

Then a couple more of hits were inserted and these with the aid of two errors netted eight runs and Lexington wounded and bleeding was out on the battle field. One more was registered in the sixth on errors by Deveraux and McClelland and a two base drive by McHenry.

Fans, the home club clouting was a revelation. Class again asserted itself most convincingly and Lexington walked off the field a badly beaten club.

But today's another day and the baseball pendulum may swing their way.

The score:

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diltz, rf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Dillhoefer, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Sharman, cf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Mills, c	5	1	2	4	0	0
Spencer, 1b	5	1	1	13	2	1
Caton, ss	3	0	1	1	4	0
Bush, 2b	4	2	2	2	4	1
McHenry, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Test, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	38	11	15	27	14	2

Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cain, cf	4	0	1	7	0	0
McClelland, ss	4	0	1	3	1	2
Shafer, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Guyn, lf, p	3	0	0	0	0	1
Deveraux, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	2
Blackwell, c	4	0	2	0	1	0
Jones, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Vetter, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Pace, p, lf	2	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	10	5

Portsmouth	1 0 1 0 8 1 0 0 x	—11
Lexington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	— 0

Two-Base Hits—Blackwell, Sharman, McHenry.
Three-Base Hit—Sharman.
Home Runs—Sharman, McHenry.
Sacrifice Hits—Dillhoefer, McHenry.
Stolen Bases—Caton 2, Bush, Jones.
First Base on Balls—Pace 2.
Hit by Pitcher—Jones.
Struck Out—By Test 4; Pace 2.
Umpire—Pfirman.
Time of Game—1:40.

A FEW GROUNDERS AND PICKUPS

Sharman and McHenry were decorated with home run honors for bravery displayed yesterday in a batting way in Millbrook.

"I got a real ball club," said Manager Guyn to Scout Doyle as they were riding to Millbrook park yesterday. "So has Portsmouth," came back Doyle. His statement has been verified.

It is refreshing to see Diltz larrup the ball. He is hitting hard and finely and bids fair to bat around the 320 mark all season.

Dillhoefer injects a world of life into the game. He plays grounders with skill and looks formidable at the plate.

Homer Cain roamed all over center field. He hauled in seven spirals and secured a hit. He looks fast as ever and is one of the classiest outfielders in the league. The fans kidded him all through the game but Homer had some tart replies all framed up for them.

Bush and Caton are two grain infielders. Their work around the keystone sack is snappy and accurate and they can wield the willow with success.

Blackwell caught a swell game for the Colts. He looks better than last year. McClelland at short despite his two errors covered lots of ground.

Manager Spencer is not laboring under a managerial strain. Nothing like it. He is in almost every play and has the intuitive faculty of being where he should be at the right time.

Not a single kick was registered against any of Pfirman's decisions. His Umps was for three years an arbiter in the Central league.

Test was "tested" and not found wanting. He grew stronger as the game progressed according to Catcher Mills, who was at the receiving end of the battery.

All around the circuit the fans are praising the local outfield. McHenry, Sharman and Diltz form a classy trio.

The Lexington Colts play here Friday and Saturday and then hop over to Charleston to play four games with Biddy Beers' team.

It is not often that fans are privileged to see nine straight hits made in one inning as they were yesterday. It was a batting rally that you read about.

Wrests Honor From Keene

Several years ago, when Springfield by one lean jumped from yarn ball to league baseball and elbowed its way into the sacred precincts of the Ohio State the club had a first sacker with batting prowlies. His name indicated this. He was none other than Buster Keene.

Well Buster N. & W.'ed into the old burg with the Reapers and shouldered his war club against the local team in Millbrook. He electrified the fans by lifting one over the left field fence. Open mouthed fans perched on their hind legs asseverated that it was the longest hit whatever. The statement went unchallenged.

But fans, a new mark was set in over-the-fence wallops yesterday. Sharman's wallop that cleared the enclosure was a longer drive than Keene's. It was nearer center field which increases the distance as left field is shorter. Candidly Sharman's hit will go down in the baseball archives as the longest home run ever uncorked in the River City. The pill landed this side of the Dardanelles.

UMPS, YOU'RE THERE

"Hurry boys, let's have the hitter. Work fast."

This was the slogan of Umpire Pfirman, who debuted here Wednesday. Say, plukiets, he's there with that arbiter stuff. Aces up. He runs the game like a veteran and keeps the athletes jumping. And his decisions were unquestioned. His work for a starter was strictly first class.

An Awful Clout

And on this home run subject don't overlook the fact that McHenry drove one to the pennant pole for the circuit. It was a terrible smash which shot past Homer Cain like a flame tipped meteor. McHenry came home standing up as he was rounding third when Homer Cain retrived the ball.

"A Circuit Chaser"

Say, Mr. Fan, a new drink was invented at the Lexington-Portsmouth game Wednesday," said an enthusiast last night.

"What kind was it?" asked another bug.

"Oh it was a circuit chaser dedicated to Swatsmiths Sharman and McHenry.

Nailers Beat Frankfort

Frankfort, May 20.—The locals dropped the eighth straight game of the season Wednesday afternoon. The Nailers fell on the offerings of Kirk in the first inning for four runs and when the game was over the score was 10 to 5, against the locals. Tedrow, pitching for the visitors, was relieved in the sixth by Reams. The score:

Ironton	4 0 0 1 0 0 5 0 0	—10	12	3
Frankfort	0 1 0 0 2 2 0 0 0	— 5	11	1

Batteries—Tedrow, Reams and Haddock; Kirk, Abbott and Angermeier.

BABES WERE DEFEATED

Charleston, W. Va., May 20.—In a well played game here Wednesday Charleston beat the Babes 2 to 1. De Berry secured a triple in the eighth, but died on third. Simms' pitching was a feature. He has won three games in a row. The score:

Chillicothe	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Corbin, 1b	5	0	1	7	0	0
H. Devore, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
J. Devore, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Debeery, c	4	0	3	0	2	1
Christian, 2b	3	0	1	0	2	0
Zeiser, ss	4	0	0	5	1	0
Bateman, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Loyne, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brockley, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
*Moore	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	1	9	24	9	1

Charleston	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Nutter, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Beers, c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Curtis, 3b	3	1	2	1	0	1
Troutman, ss	4	0	2	3	2	0
Hudson, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	1
Alnier, rf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Alderson, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Evans, 2b	2	0	0	1	6	1
Sims, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	28	2	7	26	11	3

*Batted for Zeiser in ninth.

Chillicothe	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	—1
Charleston	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 x	—2

Earned Runs—Chillicothe 1; Charleston 1.
Two-Base Hit—Christian.
Three-Base Hits—Brockley, Deberry.
Double Plays—Brockley to Corbin; Sims, Beers and Hudson; Alner and Beers.
Struck Out—By Sims 5.
Bases on Balls—Off Sims 2; Brockley 5.
Bases on Errors—Charles 2; Chillicothe 3.
Left on Bases—Chillicothe 9; Charleston 8.
Time—1:50.
Umpire—Colgate.

REDS FAILED TO SCORE

Won't some one please stop the Reds? They were blanked again by Brooklyn Wednesday, the final being 2 to 0. Killefer made a three bagger, but could not score. The game in figures:

Cincinnati	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Herzog, ss	4	0	1	6	1	0
Killefer, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Groh, 2b	3	0	0	0	6	0
Griffith, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Von Kolnitz, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Mollwitz, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Clarke, c	2	0	2	1	2	0
Ames, p	3	0	0	0	5	1
Totals	30	0	5	21	16	1

Brooklyn	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
O'Mara, ss	4	0	0	3	4	1
Daubert, 1b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Stengel, rf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Wheat, lf	4	2	1	3	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Myers, cf	3	0	2	5	0	0
Schultz, 3b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Miller, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Coombs, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	31	2	9	27	5	1

Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	—0
Brooklyn	0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 x	—2

LEAVES SCHOOL BOOKS TO TRIM LEXINGTON

Putting aside his school books, Hubert Test, 18, and a right hand pitcher, hustled off to Millbrook between showers Wednesday afternoon.

He donned a Portsmouth uniform and forgot all about English, algebra and geometrical problems. He essayed to pitch Portsmouth into the top rung of the Ohio State ladder. With the assistance of eight other sturdy athletes he turned the trick. And fans this augularly built kid pitched rings around the sloughing Colts.

Lexington amassed four hits, one an infield tap that speed converted into a hit and three others. Test did not give a pass and with his will-o'-the-wisp strike at the plate he spanked out a hit. Today he is back at his school books.

WHEN THE NEWS REACHED OLD ADAMS

Every night Outfielder McHenry gets a telephone call from the home folks down in old Adams. Last night Scout Doyle slipped a good one over on Dr. McHenry, son of the local player.

"Your son was arrested today," pinged Doyle on this end of the line.

"What's that?" came back Dr. McHenry rather excitedly. "My boy was arrested!"

"Yes, that's right. He knocked a board off the fence with a home run today and the cops just naturally pounced on him for destruction of property," laughingly replied Doyle and the line tingled with laughter for a few seconds. Dr. McHenry was the happiest man in Adams county when he learned that his son had slammed out a home run and a two bagger.

The news was flashed all along the classic banks of Blue Creek and into historical West Union where McHenry picked up the rudiments of the game and town ways.

Satisfied With Club

Manager Howard Guyn and Scout Billy Doyle a few years ago were members of the same town, Waco, Texas.

Doyle later got into the scouting game and Guyn went to the Pacific Coast league. He has many friends here and they are pulling for him to have a winner in Lexington this season. Guyn is a wise old head as he works right with his players and is well satisfied with the way his team has been performing. Well, he should be as the Colts had only dropped one game until they reached the River City.

W. & J. TEAM TO PLAY ON COAST

Washington, Pa., May 20.—Manager R. M. Murphy of the football team of Washington and Jefferson university announced last night that terms had been agreed upon whereby the W. & J. team will play at the Panama Pacific exposition at San Francisco on September 18. He said the opposing team would either be Michigan university or the Carlisle, Indians.

Will Run Classic

New York, May 20.—Nine horses were carded to start in the Metropolitan handicap with which historic classic the West Chester racing association opening its season at Belmont Park today. In days of greater prosperity for racing the prizes for this event hat aggregated $20,000 at today it had a guaranteed value of $3,000.

Morrow Spiked

The Charleston Gazette says:

The Babes are badly crippled by the injuries to Morrow and Lamb. The latter is the first sacker of the Devore regiment and was spiked in the game with Frankfort yesterday. He is now laid up at the hotel and will not be able to get in the game for several days. Morrow was also spiked in a game with Frankfort and is in a hospital at that city threatened with blood poisoning.

WE'LL SAY SO DOWN THIS WAY

(Ironton Register)

Caton, the stork little shortstop of the Cubs, looks to be a find. In the four games with the Nailers he has played a good game in the field and has always been dangerous at the bat. His catch of Perry's fly in the eighth Tuesday afternoon was nothing short of sensational, and was one of the prettiest catches made in Beechwood for a long time.

Nailers Get New Pitcher

The St. Louis Browns have turned Pitcher Al Marquard over to Dick Smith's Ironton team. Grimm who had been a member of the pitching staff has drawn his release. Marquard is said to be a promising young pitcher.

Haggerty Is Sent To Erie

Pitcher Haggerty, who was with the Ironton club last year and whom Pete Childs tried to grab for the locals has been sent to Wheeling by the Cleveland club.

Bitter Plaint.

Being without money and friends, the accused was assigned an attorney by the court. Despite his lawyer's efforts a conviction resulted. Calling the convicted man before him, the judge asked: "Have you anything to say before I pass sentence?" "Yes, your honor. It looks to me like some people around here—naming no names—are in cahoots. I'm not forgetting who inflicted that lawyer on me."

Wood Preservatives.

A surprisingly large number of substances, ranging all the way from the condensed fumes of smelters to the skimmed milk of creameries, have been tried or suggested as means of preserving wood from decay. Most of them, however, have been found to have little or no value for the purpose. Certain forms of coal-tar creosote and zinc chloride are the most widely used wood preservatives.

Greatest Water Power.

The St. Lawrence river system is the largest in Canada, and it is probable that the water power available from it is greater than that of any other river in Canada.

BASEBALL

Ohio State League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	7	2	.778
Lexington	6	2	.750
Chillicothe	5	4	.556
Charleston	4	4	.500
Ironton	3	5	.375
Frankfort	0	8	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	10	.630
Boston	14	12	.538
Chicago	16	14	.533
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
Pittsburgh	14	15	.483
St. Louis	14	17	.453
New York	11	15	.423
Cincinnati	11	16	.407

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	19	11	.633
New York	16	10	.615
Chicago	19	12	.613
Boston	13	10	.565
Washington	12	11	.522
Cleveland	12	16	.429
St. Louis	10	19	.345
Philadelphia	9	19	.321

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	19	12	.613
Newark	18	12	.600
Chicago	17	13	.567
Kansas City	16	13	.536
Brooklyn	15	13	.536
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	12	18	.400
Buffalo	8	20	.286

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Ohio State League
Charleston 2, Chillicothe 1.
Ironton 10, Frankfort 5.
Portsmouth 11, Lexington 0.

National League
New York 5, Chicago 1.
Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 0.
Philadelphia 0, St. Louis 3.
Boston 0, Pittsburgh 7.

American League
Chicago 9, Philadelphia 7.
Cleveland 5, Boston 2.
Detroit 3, New York 1.

Federal League
Pittsburgh 3, Newark 7.

American Association
Minneapolis 4, St. Paul 0.

GAMES TODAY

Ohio State League
Chillicothe at Charleston.
Lexington at Portsmouth.
Ironton at Frankfort.

Will Visit New League

Scout Billy Doyle will soon take a swing around the Buckeye league in the hopes of digging up one or two prospects. He has received a tip that Lima has a first baseman who is ready to be derricked.

CRACK YOUNG PITCHER IS THE PROPERTY OF PORTSMOUTH CLUB

Out in Kokomo there is one swell pitcher. Oh! Oh! Oh!

And the pill flipper is the property of the Portsmouth club. It is like this: The box artist's name is Watson. He is said to have everything, even a Ford. When he refused to report he was promptly suspended by Manager Spencer. Watson has been playing independent ball and his work has been praised by every student of the game who has seen him work.

Writing to Scout Doyle, Red Munson says, "Watson is the best youngster I have ever seen." The St. Louis Nationals have been trying to grab Watson, but he belongs to the local team. He must report here or continue to play semi-pro ball.

ELIMINATION TRIALS POSTPONED

Indianapolis, May 20.—Rain today caused a postponement of the first elimination trials for the 500 mile automobile race to be held here May 29. Forty cars are entered and as the number of starters has been limited to 33, seven cars will be eliminated. Each car to be permitted to start will have to make an average speed of 80 miles an hour and the 33 showing the best time above that average will make the start in the race. Three trials will be given each driver. At the speedway office it was said the trials would start tomorrow, weather permitting.

Go Another Year To Get Their Diplomas

Miss Margaret Forby, Miss Thelma Dever, Miss Mary Agnes Cunningham and Messrs. Charles Marting, Paul Bahner and Arthur Duvendeck, who were to graduate from the Sciotoville high school this year, will have to go to school another year in order to receive their diplomas.

Early this year the Sciotoville high school was changed from a second grade high school of three grades to a first grade high school of four grades. The change left six students in the Junior class where otherwise they would have graduated this month. This is the reason there will be no commencement at Sciotoville this year.

The change from a second to a first grade high school will mean the employment of more teachers. Superintendent John Glandon and Prof. R. Burton Reed had charge of the high school work this year. The addition of a Senior grade will mean that one or two more teachers will have to be employed. Several new teachers will be needed in the elementary grades next term on account of the added rooms in the new building.

The new building is to be ready for occupancy by September when school opens. The new structure which is on Market street, will contain four large recitation rooms, library room, rest room, lavatory and domestic science room.

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China's Cattle Industry.

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COLONEL ROOSEVELT.

The editor of the Marion, Ohio, Tribune, was not feeling in perfect harmony with the universe Tuesday and so he took his pen in hand and "got it out of his system" by whacking away at Col. Roosevelt for a couple of columns. He said all the mean things about the Colonel he could think of and then evidently borrowed a few from his neighbor next door for good measure. Here are a few of the Marion man's reflections upon the former president of the United States. Some of the Colonel's friends down here will endorse them and some will not but here they are anyway:

"You cannot put it over Teddy. Had he been present on the morning of creation he would have offered his valuable advice to the Creator of the Universe, and no doubt would have made many changes in the general plan of things.

"His son once said of him that he always wanted to be the corpse at every prominent funeral he attended, and when he attended a wedding he always wanted to be the groom. His son should know him well, and he no doubt told the truth about his immortal dad when he spoke those words in levity. We all love Teddy, for the rooster that is in him. He would be cock of the walk at a poultry show or the prize Durham at a country fair, and Americans like this trait in men, somehow. They do take their hats off to the fellow in whom all gall seems to be united.

"Teddy will no doubt be the dark horse for the G. O. P. in the next Presidential campaign. They do not dare nominate anyone without his consent for if they do he will start another political Salvation Army all his own, and shoot a torpedo into their hulk. You remember what he did to "Dear Will" at the last funeral? Teddy torpedoed "Dear Will" both fore and aft. Poor "Will!"

"If the whale had swallowed Teddy instead of Jonah, it would have been good night for the whale for Teddy would have gone right straight through him, flipped up on the whale's back just like he shinnied up that freight car the time he tore his pants in Marion, and brother whale would have discovered itself being ridden up Oyster Bay with Teddy on its back biting chunks out of its hide at every flip of its fins.

"The whale might have tried to get rid of him like the fellows tried to get him out of politics at the Chicago convention, but had it been successful Teddy would have constructed a whale of his own, and plunged in after the whale that swallowed him. We mention these things to show what a whale of a fellow Teddy is when he takes the notion. He has managed to get the support of all the political outlaws as well as the political saints, and that shows versatility sufficient to excite the envy of the gods.

"Now Teddy comes along with a solution of the delicate estrangement between this country and Germany. Teddy had a final opinion on that incident almost before it happened. He does not have to think the least bit about big problems. He depends on inspiration. Is that not perfectly bully? Teddy tells the world that Woodrow Wilson is more or less of a mutt, and if he had his way we would be at war in about three shakes of a lamb's tail, and maybe less time than that.

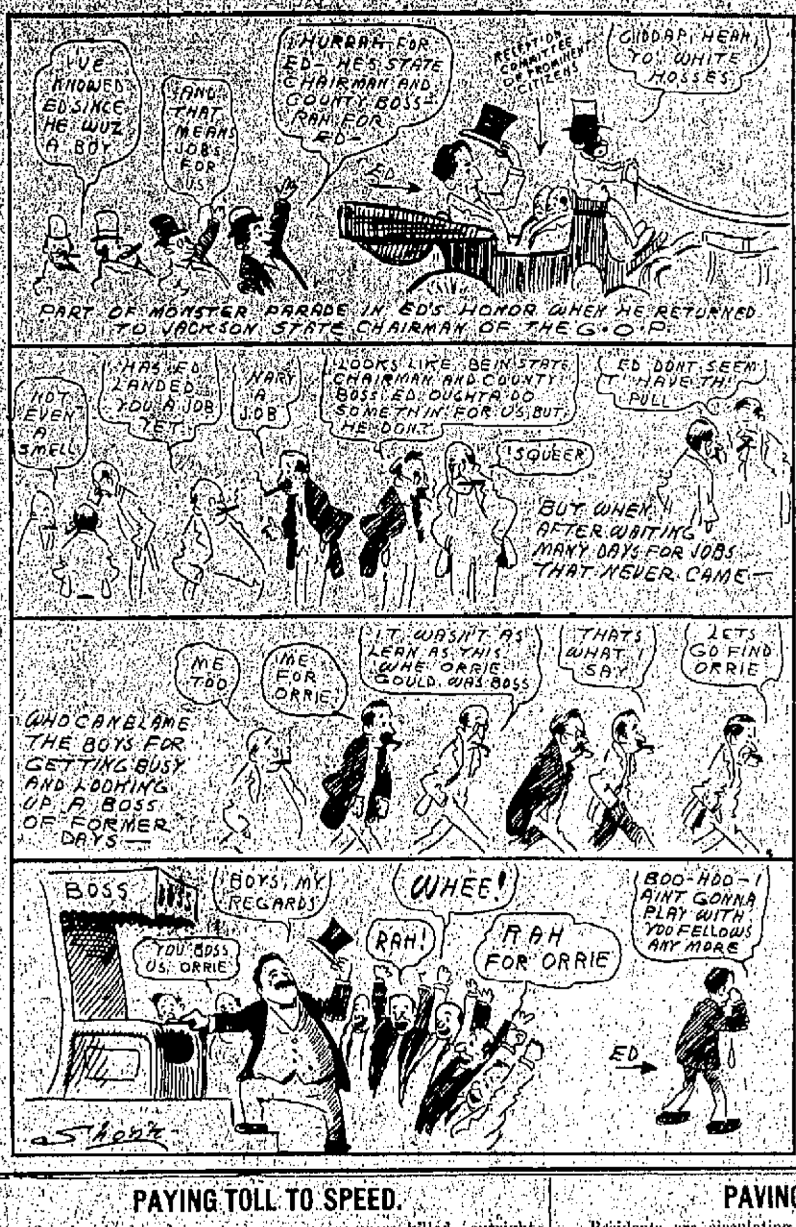
"But we need an Omnipotent man like Teddy. He has appointed himself as sort of a private secretary to God, and the Recording Angels, and is doing great work in helping to reconstruct the orbits of the planets. Before Teddy was born some of the planets were getting a bit wobbly in their courses, but Teddy will soon have that fixed up. He has been somewhat detained in one or two instances, but that does not matter as the solar system will be glad to wait for him at anytime he happens to be engaged in some little matter of prosecuting a country newspaper that mentions the amount, and kind of booze he denies truthfully ever having so much as sniffed.

"Of course Teddy is just as right as can be when he interviews himself for the newspaper front pages as to how we should do this and that to Germany, and he is inspired unto wisdom raised to the fourth dimension when he throws his hat in the circus ring and mountebanks about. President Wilson being a bonehead, and this, that, and the other that no man could describe without having had a correspondence course in Teddy lingo, etc.

"We all love Teddy for the opinions that are in him, but will not stay in him. Opinions have a little way of their own of leaking out of Teddy. His dyke system is not of the best. When he has anything in him in the way of advice leading from the recall of judicial decisions to the number of full sets of twins a couple should have the first two years of their married life he hauls off and effuses his advice with a gratuitous abandon that does credit to the noble generosity of his lion soul."

If there's anything eatable that has it on the strawberry and if there's anything makeable that can throw strawberry shortcake into the shade, we would like to get acquainted with them. That's all.

THE BOSS IS DEAD. LONG LIVE THE BOSS.



Sketches of Latter OLD NEW YORK by O. O. McIntyre

New York, May 20.—A new newspaper is to be inflicted upon suffering Gotham. Stock is now being sold for the new publication which has offices in Nassau street near the Money Belt.

The originators of the plan declare that they want to give the city a great daily which will stand for strict neutrality and fair play to all countries in the war. Incidentally all of the officers of the association are Germans and the list is headed by Prof. Hugo Muensterberg, of Harvard.

Rupert Hughes, the novelist, suggested at a luncheon with friends the other day that a strictly neutral newspaper should come forth with editorials to please both sides. The editorial should start off with the bold assertion that Goethe and Schiller had a lot of talent and this would tickle the pro-Germans.

In conclusion the editorial should tickle the anti-Germans by admitting bravely that Shakespeare, Montaigne and Turgenev were not without gifts. As an added starter, Virgil could be said to have had his good points.

The summer loafing season has started on Broadway. A number of big productions closed last week and the traveling companies are rounding in to spend the "heated term" with the theatrical boarding houses off Broadway.

Leonard Hollister, an actor, was out seeking the elusive engagement. He went into an agency operated by two men.

"We had a job this morning," said one of the agents, "but you're too late."

"Is that so?"

"Yes, my partner took it himself."

Harry Hershfield, the cartoonist, lives in a small town in Indiana. He was home recently and returned to New York with the following news item clipped from his home town paper:

"Dr. Hamilton A. Hynes has just recovered from a recent illness caused from a carbuncle on his neck. His subject for Sunday night will be "Is There a Hell?"

Solly Lee, the Hammerstein ticket taker, was invited out the other evening by a friend to meet a man who is entertaining a nobleman from Europe. Solly and his friends have cruised up and down Forty-Second street in rough weather for years and his friend was frank in his instructions.

"Now listen, Solly," he admonished. "This guy you are going to meet is class. I know you're ivory from your shoulders up but see if you can go through the evening without me wanting to shoot you. Don't spring any of that 'I seen' and 'I knowed' stuff. Keep your ears up like a rabbit."

Solly says he was on the job every minute and had duly impressed the foreigner when his friend asked him if he wanted one or two lumps of sugar in the finger bowl.

New York has given the key to the men of the Atlantic fleet. Those who visited shore and became too convivial were gently guided to their ships by patrolmen. Open house was the rule throughout the city.

While the leviathans of the sea rode at anchor in the majestic tranquility of the Hudson the sailors swarmed all over Manhattan Isle—visiting the movies, watching the ball games and quite a few spent most of their time in the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Landlubbers by hundreds of thousands flocked to Riverside Drive to watch the fleet. The tragedy of the Lusitania has made the fleet of greater interest than ever before.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

Steve

Steve an' me ain't been acquainted more'n just a little while,
But we's good old pals all right ee for we like each other's style.
No blamed dignity to fuss with!—Dignity's a awful bore!
Shucks! We ain't got time for nuffin' when we tumble 'round the floor.
"Let's forget all them there grown-ups, for they fuss too much," ses he,
An' he grabbed me by the collar, Which was what just suited me.
Now his eyes begun to twinkle—soon a wink he will achieve!—
An' I ses to him, "you bet yer! Bet yer life! I get yer, Steve!"

We was sittin' at the table with the grown-ups havin' lunch,
With his high chair close beside me, an' I sudden got a hunch
'Twould be mighty interestin' (For a thoughtful guy I am!)
If when mamma wasn't lookin' I jes' handed him the jam.
So I did it! Yes, I did it! Steve jes' chortled in his glee.
"Jes' watch me decorate my face an' pinafore," said he.
I watched him with a solemn front but laughter in my sleeve.
An' I winked at him, "You bet yer! Bet yer life! I get yer, Steve!"

When Stephen's mother saw her son and saw his jammy plight
She was full of knives and daggers though she tried to be polite.
And she said, "It doesn't matter! One can ne'er expect, I vow,
Plain common sense from poets or from babies anyhow!"
It was awful chilly weather! But Stephen ses to me:
"Don't worry! She'll forget it! She's an all-right me!" ses he.
Such a jolly little fellow thus my feelings to relieve!—
So I ses to him, "You bet yer! Bet yer life! I get yer, Steve!"

—Grif Alexander.

Some Rooms, These

All rooms have hot and cold water, local and L. D. phone, electric light and steam heat, electric elevator, vacuum cleaning plant, first-class bar and safe.—Globe Hotel, Milwaukee.

Learning To Dance

"Have you learned any new steps?"

"No, but I've stepped on a lot of new feet."—Life.

Hinting For A Ride

Mary—It's awfully cold walking, isn't it?

Harry—Yes, but it's colder riding.

Mary (after a lengthy silence)

—Harry, I don't think I could get any colder.—The Purple Cow.

Getting Ready For War

"Doing any good?"

"Yep; buying up fox terriers for army work."

"Army work?"

"They're great for digging trenches. All you have to do is to line 'em up and holler 'Rats!'"
—Kansas City Journal.

Loved to Death

"Do yer love me, 'Erb?"

"Love yer, 'Lize, I should just think I does. Why, if yer ever gives me up I'll murder yer! I can't say more'n that, can I?"

Enlarge the Door

Sidney Hocks became intoxicated Saturday evening and tried to drive his yoke of steers into the post office, but failed on account of the door being too narrow. There have been many other complaints recently on account of the narrowness of the door at the post office.—Hamburg (Ia.) Item.

Well Named

"What's that you call your mule?"

"I call him 'Corporation,'" answered the old negro.

"How did you come to give him such a name?"

"F'm studyin' de animal and readin' de papers, boss. Dat mule gets mo' blame an' abuse dan anythin' else in de township, an' goes ahead havin' his way jes' de same."—National Monthly.

REMOVAL
The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 6, Bell phone 247. tf

PAYING TOLL TO SPEED.

One hundred and twenty-seven persons were killed outright and two hundred and ten more or less seriously injured in auto accidents during the month of April.

That is a frightful toll, paid for the ambition of this country to hurry. We can't take our pleasures quietly, sensibly, and fully nine-tenths of these casualties grew out of the common practice of speeding. Inherently, the automobile is not a death contrivance. Used prudently, even safely, it is quite as safe as walking along the highway. It is not in us as a people to learn by experience, we take scant warning of the mishap of another, regarding him as unlucky and trusting to our own luck to carry us by. We have got to get used to a thing, it has to become common place for us to use it in general safety. So we are becoming accustomed to the automobile and accidents are decreasing proportionately. It may not seem so from the appalling record just stated, but, nevertheless, it is the case. The percentage of increase in accident is not as great as the increase in the number of additional cars put in operation. Right in this man's town there are twenty-five per cent more cars running this year than last, but it is distinctly observable that people are running them with greater care. If they were not, so thick are they swarming, half of the population would be in its grave and the remainder in the hospital. The day will come and that shortly when there will be no more so-called auto accidents than arise from the use of horse vehicles.

"I am a candidate for re-election and nobody can force me out of the race", said Mayor Spiegel, of Cincinnati, a few days ago. "Fergit it", said Rud Hynicka the Cox machine boss. And "fergit it" shouted the chorus of party workers. "Pardon me, I was mistaken, I am not a candidate for re-election. My law practice needs me", hastily corrected Mayor Spiegel. And now the old Cox gang, who knew that Spiegel could not be re-elected, are boosting an amiable 'gent named Puchta and through him expect to continue in charge of city affairs.

Under the election law now in force petitions for candidates at the party primaries must be filed by June 10th with the board of elections. The primary is fixed for sixty days later or on August 10th. Formerly petitions had to be filed in August and the primary was held in September on the first Tuesday after the first Monday. The change in the date of filing petitions accounts for the activity at this time of the various candidates.

Hey, what we want to know is, did anybody get together with our old friend and candidate for mayor, Hon. Nate B. Gilliland, at that there banquet?

PAVING THE WAY.

Residents are circulating a petition, urging that the city at once proceed with the flood wall extension. That is showing progressiveness. The proposed extension was making apparently brave headway towards a beginning when a damper was thrown on it by a grand rush of claims for damages, property to be protected, and assumably benefited by the improvement, soaring like it does in the reports of some of these colossal realty deals and appearing to be altogether hurt by the protection, instead of being given a better value. If property is not to be benefited it would be useless to spend good money for a new flood wall. However, we believe that the greater portion of the people in the affected district are ready to welcome the improvement with open arms and the few who would block the wall by demanding exorbitant prices for their holdings where they stand in the way, should be dealt with in the courts.

"The main question is", said the man who shiveringly dropped into the seat next to us on the street car at 6 a. m. today, "the main question is, not did the G. O. P. factions get any closer together, but did John and Mac and George and Young Doc and the rest of 'em get any closer to the pie counter?"

Brief as were his remarks at the banquet, Saturday night, Lieutenant Governor Jack Arnold, said he would not apologize for the senate. We hardly thought it was as bad as that, but then even the senate wouldn't be guilty of such reckless waste of time as to apologize for Arnold.

A newspaper interviewed the governors of all the states and with unanimous voice they all declared they would stand by the president. Sounds pretty doesn't it, but supposing one should have been indiscreet enough to say he would not stand by the president?

Yes, these be Democratic times, when it is to be noted that not even the imminent threat of war precipitates a panic. Given a president in whom the people have confidence and an honest administration, this government can withstand any shock.

It would be a happy day if we could display the same enthusiasm in keeping out of the fight as the Italians display to get into it.

And troubles come flocking back to us. The Austrians are knocking at the gates of Przemysl!

The German front is crumpled up. Sounds like there was something doing. But this is Thursday; wait until Friday.

Italy doesn't place much store by the axiom: 'He who hesitates is lost.'

A town is helped by the money spent in it, not by that sent out of it.

It must be foreordained that we are to meet up with the good old summer days all at once.

The sun is always shining behind the clouds.

Now, let's all be Americans-Americans.

POLLY AND HER PALS

GREAT SCOTT—IS AUNT MAGGIE RIGHT?

The Chesapeake & Ohio has published a very attractive folder giving a full directory of all resorts and boarding houses located on its line, and which also presents attractive scenic views and descriptive matter of the historic mountain and seashore territory. Copies can be had for the asking or will be mailed promptly if you will send a postal card to the C. & O. agent.
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HORRORS OF WAR TOLD IN LETTER FROM BATTLE ZONE

Local Woman Gets Word Of The Fates Of Several Relatives

Mrs. Sophia Dauwel, 923 Sixth street, has relatives in the war zone who are undergoing the hardships of warfare. She received a letter Wednesday from a sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Dauwel from Rhein-Pfalz, Germany. The letter contained sad news and describes plainly how the able men folks of Germany have hurried off to fight for their Fatherland.

A son-in-law of a sister of the local woman was killed while in France. Another son-in-law of Mrs. Dauwel's sister has received the Iron Cross and a sword and Iron Cross for his acts of bravery. He has had three horses shot from under him but so far had escaped injury. He has also been promoted to an officer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dauwel has given her four sons, nephews of the local Mrs. Dauwel, to the German army. The letter says that one of the young men had an eye shot out. Another was shot three times but not fatally and has been a prisoner of the French in France since the first of last October. A third son who has been at the front in the trenches since last October writes home to his mother that he does not expect to ever return home as the fighting is fierce but that the Germans are holding their own. The fourth son left for the front just three weeks ago. He is only eighteen years of age but was more than willing to march away to fight for his Fatherland.

The letter says that the places of the men in the fields and factories are being well filled by the women who are doing well their part in the great conflict. Only the aged men and women and young children are left to be found in most of the cities and villages. Rhein-Pfalz is not far from the French boundary line but so far the place has escaped invasion. The place is not as large as Portsmouth.

Mrs. Sophia Dauwel first came from Rhein-Pfalz to this country in 1882 and paid a visit to her old home in 1900. "It is a beautiful place," says Mrs. Dauwel. "I expect to visit the place again after the war is over, if I am able," said Mrs. Dauwel, Wednesday.

Man Tried To Flee Via The Cellar When Police Arrived

A police raiding party, headed by Capt. Grant Cooper, surprised John Hicks, an N. & W. machinist helper, of No. 1824 Eighth street, at the home of Charles F. Salsbury, an N. & W. engineer, of No. 913 Murray street, Thursday morning at 2:30 o'clock.

Hicks attempted to escape from the house by way of the cellar, but was detected in the effort and captured. He was locked up at the city prison while Mrs. Olive Salsbury, wife of the engineer, on account of her two small children, was permitted to remain at home, with orders to appear in police court at 9 o'clock.

The police claim to have damaging evidence.

The home has been under surveillance for some time past, Salsbury having reported to the police officials that Hicks had despoiled his home and visited there every time he was out on a run. He was called out for a run to Cincinnati late Wednesday night and the raid was decided upon.

Hicks has been married, but is divorced from his wife. His mother, Mrs. Kitchen, came to headquarters Thursday morning in company with Mrs. Salsbury and one of the latter's little girls.

Police had heard that Hicks had made threats to shoot his way out of the house should he ever be caught there, and was reported to be carrying a gun. They found some cartridges, but no pistol.

Hicks pleaded not guilty in court Thursday, insisting that he had done nothing wrong, save to play cards with Mrs. Salsbury; that he frequently passed them and often used their telephone. The woman reluctantly admitted that Hicks had been coming to her home since last October. She denied that he was the cause of the troubles between her and her husband, and said she did not know Salsbury knew of Hicks' visits until police told her Wednesday night.

The court spoke of the case referring to Hicks as a leech who had broken up a man's home and then still had the nerve to try "to get by" with it. He fined him $50 and costs and sentenced him to six months in the Cincinnati workhouse. The woman was fined $10 and costs and was sharply rebuked for her misconduct.

Darktown Wisdom.

You wants de rain ter rain yo' troubles 'way, an' de sun ter shine silver in yo' pockets, lookin' sight o' de great fact dat, ef you don't hit hard licks for n' livin' you'll go ez hongry ez de wolf what ain't got no mo' sense than ter howl at you do!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Easy Job.

It is the easiest thing in the world to fill empty heads with hot air, and it is done every day.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

EAST END MORE SANITARY THAN THE WEST END

—DEPUTY FIRE MARSHALS

Better sanitary conditions exist in the East End of the city than in the West End according to the two deputy fire marshals, Messrs. Bell and Hamilton, who have been making a tour of inspection of the East End for the past four days. They claim that the alleys are much cleaner, the buildings newer and in better condition than in the older part of the city.

One condition, however, to which they object, is the location of so many vaults in sheds and stables. They claim that this is unsanitary and dangerous, and an order to eliminate this condition was issued wherever it was found.

In addition to the many home down orders a large number of repair orders were issued this week. When a building can be made sightly and safe by repair, the deputies always recommend repair, so that the owner does not have to lose his entire building.

Deputies Bell and Hamilton expect to get through this week although the work may take a few days longer. Week before last they were over all territory west of Chillicothe street, and this week they have been working eastward east of Chillicothe street.

ITALY MAKES STRONG DEMAND

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possible for the reason that Austria-Hungary was fighting to attain an object diametrically opposed to the vital interests of Italy, her ally.

Nevertheless, for a period of several months, Italy endeavored to bring about a situation favorable to the re-establishment of friendly relations between the two countries, but these negotiations brought no practical results. Consequently, the alliance was denounced by the Duke of Avarana on May 4.

The Duke on this occasion said Italy was confident of her rights and he affirmed to the Austro-Hungarian government that from that moment Italy claims entire liberty of action declaring that her treaty with Austria-Hungary is hereby annulled and without effect.

Rejects Austria's Plea For Time

Rome, May 20. (via Paris)—Unless plans of prominent deputies miscarry the only speaker at the session of the chamber tomorrow after the communication is received, will be Signor Barzilai, a republican deputy who will plead for the liberation of Triest, his native city, from Austrian rule.

It was learned today the council of ministers at the prolonged session last night unanimously rejected, eleventh hour proposals made by Austria for prolonging the negotiations regarding the cession of territory. It is believed in official circles here that these proposals were prompted by ignorance and in Berlin the determination of the king cabinet and parliament to obtain all the territory demanded by Italy.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO JOIN MILITARY COMPANY?

All persons desirous of enlisting in the military company now being organized are requested to call at the office of the Board of Trade in the Masonic Temple, at any time this afternoon, when officers will be on hand to muster them in.

A number of enlistments were secured at the meeting held last evening, while several others signified their intention of joining today. Another public meeting will be held this evening, when it is hoped to complete the details of the organization.

Officers present last evening included Col. E. S. Bryant, Assistant Adjutant General of Ohio, Dr. Dudley Dawson, of Columbus; Lieut. J. S. Bailey, battalion adjutant, and Sergeant George Larsen, of Gallipolis, U. S. A., instructor with the 9th Infantry. The same officers remained over today to assist in the recruiting of prospective members, and the final mustering of the company this evening.

Capt. James W. Smith presided at the meeting and introduced Col. Bryant, who explained in detail the objects of the company and the rules and regulations under which it would be conducted. He expressed pleasure at seeing so many young men present, and complimented them for their general appearance. The other officers also talked informally of the plans of organization and instruction in drill practice.

Providing the full company can be recruited during the afternoon and evening, an election of officers will be held at the meeting this evening. Drill practice will start at once and every effort made to have the company in first-class shape in time for the annual encampment this summer.

GIRL TAKES POISON?

Some young woman in the East End called up the Times office over telephone early Thursday morning and reported that a girl had taken poison with suicidal intent, giving the name of the supposed person. Diligent inquiry in the neighborhood, however, failed to develop anyone who knew anything about the report.

CERTIFICATES ISSUED

School certificates were awarded to a number of the applicants of the April and May county examinations at a meeting of the board of examiners, held last evening in the office of E. O. McCowen, county school examiner and a member of a board. The majority of the applicants took one-half of the examination in April, and the other half in May, although a few took the entire examination this month.

Certificates were issued to the following:

Three year elementary—Clifford Shaner, Ethel Clutts.

Two year renewals—Lulu B. Jones, John Bonts, L. H. Mault, George H. Nass.

One year—Ralph Wallo, Herman Bender, Walter Heller, Bert James, Clarence Kuhner, W. A. Lindsey, Minford Ossmeyer, Bessie Ach, Nellie Barney, Grace Cook, Ruth Doll, Lucretia Dupre, Mayme Frische, Fay Harwood, Edna Lewis, Lucy McCormick, Katherine Noel, Rosena Russell, Aileen Sherman, Helen Walsh, Madeline Smith, Edith Wilson, Nauchie Preston, Dora Brown and Emma Shaker.

High school, two year renewal, D. D. Shaker.

Big Car Order Has Become A Reality

Cleveland, Ohio, May 20th—The Iron Trade Review today says:

"The actual placing of orders for 10,000 cars by the Pennsylvania lines has furnished positive evidence that recent announcements concerning the buying program of these lines are well founded in spite of reports that the orders were to be indefinitely postponed. The Pennsylvania has also placed orders for 75 locomotives and 1,000 automobile cars are pending. Russian car orders, to the number of at least 1,000, are still pending.

"The steel bar situation is very strong. This is due in part to the heavy orders for bars for shrapnel recently placed, but the demand for purely domestic purposes is very fair and prices are being well maintained.

"Owing to the very high price of spelter, the minimum quotation on No. 28 galvanized sheets is now $5.00, Pittsburgh."

The manufacturers of Golden Sun Coffee control the coffee plantations and guarantee a uniform quality—a rarity. Ask your grocer.

A-T-B. Meeting

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society will meet at the home of Mrs. George Grimes, 1501 Fifth street, Thursday evening at eight o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

SIMON LAROLD, President.
C. W. Wendelken, M. D., Sec'y.

First Bank Notes.

The Chinese were the first people to issue bank notes. They started in this business 27 centuries before the birth of Christ. One of these bank notes may still be seen in the Asiatic museum, Petrograd. It is printed in blue, on white paper made from mulberry tree fiber. Round the margin is a motto which rather indicates that the first Chinese banker was of Scotch origin. It reads: "However much you may possess, strive to be thrifty."

WHEELERSBURG ALUMNI MEETS SATURDAY NIGHT

Elaborate plans and a splendid program have been perfected for the commencement exercises of the Wheelersburg High school graduates to be held Friday evening in the Wheelersburg M. E. church, at 7:30 o'clock. Prof. L. E. Wolfe, secretary of the entrance board to the Ohio State University, at Columbus, will deliver the commencement address. Bailo's Orchestra of this city will furnish the music.

A large banner bearing the class motto, "With the Roses of the Past We Will Ring the Bells of the Future," to be used in decorating the church is being prepared by the girl graduates. The background is of silver with lettering of purple flowers, silver and purple being the class colors. A large number of white carnations the class flower, will be used in other decorating.

The graduating class consists of seven girls and five boys, the largest class to ever enter upon life's work from the senior class of Wheelersburg high school. The graduates are Marie Janes, Hazel Fritts, Aycrill Housinger, Evelyn Housinger, Anna Miller, Clara Cranston, Nell Griver, McKinley Sauer, John Oakes, Raymond Gleim, John Sauer and Louis Smith. The commencement program follows:

March—Boy Scouts.
Invocation—Rev. Charles F. Hughes.
Music, "Alma, Where Do You Live?"
Salutatory—"No Victory Without Labor"—Miss Marie Janes.
Waltz, "Sighing of the Wind."
Class History and Prophecy—McKinley Sauer.
Music, "Marcella."
Valedictory, "The Power of Little Things"—Louis Smith.
Music (Characteristic) —"Dewdrops."
Class Address—Prof. L. E. Wolfe, secretary of entrance board to Ohio State University at Columbus.
Fantasy—"In Dreamy Dells."
Presentation of diplomas—Prof. J. M. Turner.
Benediction—Rev. Charles E. Hagar.

37,000 PUT TO WORK IN PITTSBURGH DISTRICT

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 20—Resumption of Lake coal shipments and increased consumption of coal by industries in this section have resulted in renewed activity in mine operations in the Pittsburgh district.

Three-fourths of the miners in this district, estimated at about 37,000, have been recalled to work after months of idleness, and it is expected this number will be increased soon. Should coal operations grow much heavier, however, a shortage of men for the mines is feared.

The Movies

"The Master Key" At Arcana Tonight

Talk about your big city shows, see the one Manager Potts has provided for his Arcana patrons this afternoon and tonight. Five big reels of great interest will be shown—five, mark you, and all for the small admission of 5 cents. First and foremost will be the twelfth episode of "The Master Key," that wonderful Western production that has proven to be one of the greatest features ever shown on screens. In addition to that Manager Potts will show a two-reel comedy drama, entitled, "No. 329—Big U." This is a guaranteed attraction and is full of exciting climaxes. A rib-tickling comedy, entitled "The Wrong Address," will bring the great program to a close. Patrons of the Arcana will be given a rich treat tonight, for the program arranged for them is without a doubt the greatest ever shown in the city for five cents. Remember that the Arcana has been completely remodeled. It is now in elegant shape, being cozy, comfortable and thoroughly sanitary. See the great program for tonight and join the rapidly increasing army of Arcana boosters.

DANIELS TO ASSIST IN EXERCISES

Delaware, Ohio, May 20.—The seventy-first annual commencement of Ohio Wesleyan university will be held June 11-16. Among those who will deliver addresses are Bishop J. W. Bashford, of China; Josephus Daniels, Secretary of United States Navy; Dr. A. C. Piersel, of Springfield, Ills., and Dr. Charles E. Schenck, of Cincinnati.

The commencement address will be delivered by Mr. Daniels. One of the largest classes in the history of the university will be graduated.

CONVENTION ENDS TODAY

Painesville, Ohio, May 20.—This was the final day of the annual convention of the congregational churches of Ohio and the new officers were to be elected at the forenoon session. Rev. H. A. Bridges of Boston, was to speak on "Religious Journalism," and Rev. Dan Bradley of Cleveland on "The World Crisis in Missions." This afternoon the topic will be "Federation and Religious Education."

CHURCHMEN GATHER IN ROCHESTER

Rochester, N. Y., May 20—The 125th general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States opened here this morning with commissioners, prominent divines and leaders in missionary, education and every phase of Christian activity from all parts of the nation and foreign fields present. The attendance is estimated at between 1200 and 1500.

Communion and the sermon of the retiring moderator, the Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were the features of the opening session.

Election of a moderator was expected to be the chief business of the afternoon session.

CLEVELANDER KILLS SELF

Cleveland, May 20—Albert Miller, 51, was found a suicide this morning on the front steps of the home of his former wife. He had shot himself during the night. A revolver lay beside his body. A year ago Miller shot both his wife and himself. Both were in the hospital for weeks but recovered. Miller left a note, which was illegible.

PRESENTS FINAL ARGUMENT

Washington, May 20—Former Senator Bailey today presented final argument in the district supreme court in opposition to the government's motion to dismiss the temporary injunction of the Riggs National bank against Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller Williams and Treasurer Burke, which charges the first two officials with conspiring to wreck it.

MEETING OF B. T. C.

Members of the Building Trades Council met in regular weekly session Wednesday evening, but no action of interest to the public was taken, according to the business agent, Harry Strong, this morning. Some of them attended a meeting at the Central Labor Council hall on Wednesday afternoon, but the discussion was not made public.

OBITUARY

Frank Drown

A former well known Portsmouth boy passed away in Columbus, Wednesday afternoon when death claimed Frank Drown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Drown, of 728 Fifth street, this city. Mr. Drown's death followed two operations, which he was forced to undergo within the past month. He was operated upon for appendicitis and was recovering nicely when an abscess formed on the liver and it resulted in his death, the second operation not proving a success.

Mr. Drown was a shoeworker and was about 37 years of age. Until a few years ago he resided here and his many friends will regret to learn of his passing away in the Capital City.

Mr. Drown, in addition to his parents, is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertha Smith Drown, and one son Earl and one brother and one sister, Clifford Drown, and Miss Caddie Drown of this city. The body will arrive here from Columbus and the funeral services and interment will be held here.

Mr. Drown was an exemplary young man, industrious, devoted to his family and was faithful to any trust reposed in him. His death is surrounded by singularly pathetic circumstances. The family for many years resided on Fourth street, opposite the Fourth street school building.

Thomas Allen

Thomas, bright little two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, of 910 Plum street, died at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon, after a short illness with intestinal trouble. The funeral services will be held Friday and burial will be made at Siloam, Ky.

ASK PEACE BETWEEN EMPIRES AND ALLIES

Paris, May 20—The Gaulois today publishes a curious dispatch under a Turin date which mentions a very extraordinary alleged development in the Italian situation.

This message declared that Prince Von Buelow and Baron Von Macchio, the German and the Austrian Ambassadors at Rome, had at request of the Italian government, asked it to act as a mediator for peace between the Central empires and the allies. This report has not been heard from any other source.

A Fashion Hint

Every woman wishes to appear a neat and attractive about her home during the early hours of the morning as she does later in the day in her street dull or dancing gown. A charming model of a "dress apron" or "apron dress" for morning wear is pictured. The pockets and pretty Dutch cap are features that must not be overlooked, for they are useful as well as ornamental. The cap is of the dress goods, with face band of the trimming material.

KITTY LAMBERTON LETTERS

SHE TAKES UP THE SIMPLE POSE AND MAKES A HIT

A Visit to Boston, Where She Meets Many Intellectuals, Changes Kitty's Manner

DEAREST Sister:—

A changed Kitty I am. I have been to Boston for a few days to visit Mathilda Clenson and her husband—no one would mention Mathilda's husband first—and on the last day of my visit I sent a message to our beloved dad, which read:—"Meet me at 5:05 express. You may not know me. KITTY."

Poor dad, he was almost crazy. Mopsie was attending some humanitarian society at the time, so he rushed frantically to the telephone and called up every female relative of ours in the city and asked them if they supposed I had bleached my hair, adopted permanently an eyeglass or had my face tattooed. Being assured they fell none of these had happened, he armed himself with dear Uncle Charlie, who had come home from his long trip to China looking taller, younger and more moneyed than ever, and the two came, trembling as if with ague, to the station.

Lo, Katherine the gay stepped forth Katherine the demure.

Yes, I have adopted the simple pose. My hair is drawn back without a strand out of place. These naughty little curls at my neck are pinned tightly with "invisibles." My eyes are round and saucer-like, and my clothes are puritan. Instead of lining my neck with Japanese, Hindoo and Italian junk, I let the white skin of my throat appear proudly unadorned. Indeed, Peaches, to assure you of my absolute reform, I have laid my earrings in the top drawer of my dresser and thrown away the key. Earrings are a great temptation to me. I have been ever since as I child I stole away to a side shop and had a horrid, many chinned, big waisted Italian woman put little brass hoops in my ears. Mopsie, as ever is her habit, turned up just in time to find me out.

A STUNNING YOUNG DOCTOR.

Boston it is which has taught me this unembellished pose; that is, Boston, combined with omnipresent, all absorbing yet so gentle Mathilda. When you are with that woman you feel you cannot offend her, and you go away feeling you must keep on pleasing her.

I had just landed when I realized she considered me flashy. That was about nine A. M. and by dinner time—seven P. M.—when a number of Bostoneso—sounds like a fancy type of canine—friends were to meet me, I was almost to a state of oneness in my toilet, namely, a white messaline evening gown. And, Peaches, I certainly made the hit of my life in this oneness effect.

There was a lovely young doctor there, had the adorable Irish name of McKelay, and he told me all about his splendid times in Vienna, where he had studied medicine, and also almost went when he referred to the way dear old Vienna must be suffering from Austria being so completely "walloped." I almost wept with him, for I am naturally sympathetic, although on account of Charles Lloyd Hamilton Craig-Hallington I am a full fledged ally.

These almost tears of mine made him refer to pearls. And pearls lead to simplicity. And then he quoted a beautiful poem from Bryant, and I asked him if he knew "Thanatopsis," and he said it clear through without one mistake. I sighed and said:—

"To me that's good enough to say over my grave."

A very orthodox Bostonese, sitting near, overheard and delivered about a third of a terrible tirade, but when he was just that far he happened to rub his glasses clear enough to see me thoroughly, stopped and, shaking his head:—

"Oh, excuse me. So simple a creature knew no better," he said.

Again the simple pose had triumphed!

STILL ANOTHER ADMIRER.

The second evening at Mathilda's she had a leader in some high cult—the name of the cult sounding like a breakfast food—come in to lecture. The lecturer, a woman who weighed at least two hundred pounds and wore a dress which would cost a bank president's salary for a month, talked far up in the mountains of wisdom, but I managed to discover she admitted if we would think beautiful thoughts all day long there no longer would be need for policemen, detectives and politicians.

She had two assistants, one a youth with a flowing yellow beard who took a shine to me. But I excused myself from his attentions when I ran right into Dr. McKelay. He and I were together the remainder of the evening, although the taffy beard loomed close at intervals.

You want to know, I feel sure, whether the doctor has supplanted the Englishman. My answer is, how could he when he is in Boston and Charles Craig-Hallington is here? Absentees never have made a hit with me. Mopsie, Uncle Charlie and Charles and myself go to the theatre this evening, Charles being the host. Looks serious when he's entertaining the family! Mopsie's in her element since Uncle Charlie's home—she doesn't have to depend on dad for an escort. By the way, Uncle Charlie has a Mandarin for you. Mine is similar, but am afraid I won't be able to wear it. It is too gay. Your simplified sister,

KITTY.

P. S.—You say you are studying summer seed catalogues for suggestions for old fashioned flower gardens, having space for one at the side of your bungalow. Go to it, Peaches, but while you are devoting yourself to the spade in the country, keep an eye open to see Teddy isn't too fond of his club in the city.

An Adorable Doctor Pays Her Attention, but Does Not Succeed the Englishman.